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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Little, Pastor
Morning service at 10.45.
Sunday School, 12.00.
Evening service at 7.00.
Every present and past member of the Sunday school is requested to be present next Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. S. T. Achenbach, Pastor
Thursday, Oct. 20, 3 o'clock: Meeting of the Ladies' Club with Mrs. Billings.
Sunday, Oct. 23, 10.45: Worship. Sermon theme, "Does Fallen Man Defeat?"
12.00: Sunday School, conducted by Mrs. Achenbach, Asst. Supt.
7.00: Public service, with Bible talk by the pastor.
Monday, Oct. 24, 7 o'clock: Meeting of the pastor's class.
Tuesday, 6.45 o'clock: Rehearsal of the young people's chorus in the chapel.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. C. L. Wheaton, Pastor
At the Methodist church Sunday evening the meeting was in charge of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. After the praise service conducted by W. S. Wright the Mothers' Jewels, a junior Missionary Society connected with the Home Missionary Society, sang R-I-G-H-T. Mrs. Wheaton, President of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, installed the following officers:
Pres.—Helen Brown.
Vice-Pres.—Burl Brown.
Secretary—Leona Brown.
Treasurer—Guy Gibbs.
Supt.—Mrs. Angie Parlin.
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Millie Clark.
Brighton Corner, By the Society Miss Kallstad, a field worker for the Home Missionary Society, read the Scripture and gave the message of the evening presenting the work done in the home and by the Woman's Society. Mrs. Parlin led in prayer. Selection by mixed quartet. The annual offering for the Home Missionary Society was received. One new member and four honorary members were enrolled.
The Ladies' Aid will hold their annual Fair and Harvest Supper Thursday afternoon and evening. Supper at 6.30 at the church.

SUNDAY, OCT. 23

Sunday, Oct. 23, will be observed as Good Literature Day and this side of religious life will be stressed by the pastor.
A. C. Adams will part with his elephant, accompanied by fitting ceremonies.
Sunday School at noon. Two new classes have been formed so that now all ages are being looked after.
The evening service at 7 will be under the auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Mrs. C. K. Fox, President. The officers of the Madelyn Parlin Club, a Society affiliated with the W. F. M. S., will be installed with suitable exercises. Mrs. Lyman Wheeler will give a report of the New England branch meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Rockland, Me., Oct. 11-13.
The Tuesday evening meetings are being held at different homes during October and November. The meeting this week was at Mr. Nathan Bean's on Railroad street.
The first week in October a number of citizens of Mason and Bethel gathered at the home of S. O. Grover in Mason to make plans for repairing the Methodist church in that town. This church has not been used for some time and is in urgent need of repairs before winter sets in. Financial help from a number of former residents is promised as well as financial aid and labor from the local people. Rev. C. L. Wheaton of the M. E. church at Bethel organized the meeting for the carrying out of this work. The following were elected a committee to superintend the work: P. A. Mundt, John A. McKenzie, Eli Grover.
Secretary—Mrs. Bertha M. Mundt.
Treasurer—Fletcher Bean.
Send all contributions to the Secretary. It is planned to open a Sunday School and to have religious services as soon as the church can be made ready.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant enjoyed a few days in their camp at Gilead the last of the week.
Try it once and ever after you will unconsciously measure all other flour by William Tell. J. B. Ham Company, Distributors.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Taylor and nephew of China, Mo., were the week end guests of Mr. Taylor's brother, Mr. Frank Taylor, and other relatives.

GRANGE NEWS

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE

Pleasant Valley Grange held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, Oct. 11, with thirty members present. Four candidates were balloted upon and the first and second degrees conferred upon the same. One new application was received and referred to investigating committee. The Fair committee was unable to report because of the failure of those having bills to send them in. Ten dollars was voted to the Church Society of Mason for repairing the church. The literary program follows:
Song, encore,
Katherine Brown, Clara Mason
Reading, Addie K. Mason
Song, encore, Doris Ordway

WATERFORD GRANGE

Waterford Grange, No. 479, held a special meeting for the purpose of conferring the third and fourth degrees on four candidates. Past Master Lizzie Morse conferred the degrees. A fine supper was served to a good attendance, followed by the following program:
Singing, Grango
Reading, Annie Hazelton
Reading, Hattie Goodwin
Reading, Bert Flint
Reading, Original Poem, Rilla Marston
Clipping, Mr. A. H. Goodwin
Singing, Grango

HARVEST FAIR AND HARVEST SUPPER

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, Bethel, will hold their annual harvest fair and harvest supper at the church on Thursday afternoon and evening, Oct. 20th.
The fancy work table and the apron table will display an attractive variety of pretty and useful articles. At the Japanese table there will be found unique and interesting things. Both expert and amateur young anglers may be sure of a "catch" at the fish pond. Refreshments, sociability and cheer will be dispensed at the tea table. Candy and ice cream, all of the home-made kind, will no doubt disappear so rapidly that you should be on hand early for your share. A view of the vegetable table will sharpen the appetite for the harvest supper, tempting and bountiful, which needs no published bill of fare.
Please remember the date and place. Thursday, October 20th, at the Methodist church. Come and have a good time, with good things to eat, at popular prices.

FIRST AEROPLANE LANDS IN BETHEL

Mr. William Turgeon of Auburn was the first person to land with an aeroplane in the town of Bethel. He and his mechanic, Allen Towksbury of Jackson, Me., came from Auburn, Friday afternoon, circling the town and landing in Thurston's field on the Locke's Mills road, but as this was not suitable for landing he changed to the Treadwell field on the Greenwood road.
Mr. Turgeon announced that he would carry passengers on short flights and Mr. H. A. Lyon was the first passenger to go up from Bethel. Mrs. Arthur D. Dean of Albany was the first woman to go up in Bethel. Everyone who made the flight was more than pleased.

The following are the names of those who made flights: Harry Lyon, Mr. Gammon, Glyndon Sawin, Roy Cummings, Clarence Philbrook, Lester Cobb, C. C. Bryant, William Mackay, Mrs. Arthur D. Dean, R. B. Thurston, D. W. Cushing, Miss Gladys Jenner, J. M. Harrington, S. G. Bean.
Next Monday evening, Oct. 24, a special meeting of Sunset Rebekah Lodge will be held and it is hoped a large number will be present.
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lary of Portland and sister, Mrs. John Depeau of Boston and Mrs. Nelson Moses of Berlin, N. H., were guests at Maple Inn, recently.
Mr. Hugh Little of Portland and Miss Olive Wardwell of Albany; Mr. Edgar Inman of Bethel and Miss Annie Wardwell of Albany were united in marriage at South Paris, Wednesday, Oct. 12, by Rev. C. G. Miller.
Mrs. Arthur Wiley and daughter, Olive, of Bar Mills spent the week end with Mr. A. C. Frost and daughter, Doris. Dr. Wiley accompanied them to their home Monday.
Mrs. Willard Holt, Mr. Charles Holt and Miss Hiss of Dunsmuir, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Burk the last of the week. Sunday, they, accompanied by Mrs. Burk, went to Pownal to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Simpson.

THE J. E. JONES LETTER

BACK TO THE LAND

It will be interesting to follow the success of the scheme of the Unemployment Conference to "make the mayor get everybody a job." The figure of speech employed above, it used with the proper allowance for elasticity will convey the idea that the mayor of each city is supposed to lead the march of the unemployed back from idleness to work. There are over four million unemployed in this country, and President Harding's administration is straining every endeavor to prevent hunger and suffering this winter. The "soup houses" of the winter of 1915 left harrowing horrors that will be shunned if possible, in 1921-2. The Conference has quite clearly pointed out the practicability of certain kinds of construction work, including public buildings and road work, that can be carried on with profit to the communities at this time, and it is insistent that the mayors of the country organize their communities and put these methods of employment in operation.

In "the city of conservation"—as Washington was characterized by Henry James—the Unemployment Conference has produced considerable discussion of the "back to the land" question. The Conference, itself, does not accept the view that it has any time to deal with problems of settling the land, because it wants methods that promise quick action. Strangely enough these Iowa Secretaries of Agriculture—and that is where most of them seem to come from, are arraigned in opposition to opening broad new acres for farming purposes. Secretary Meredith of the Wilson cabinet, insisted that the thing to do was to farm the land that has already been opened, and to cultivate it more thoroughly. Secretary Wallace of the present cabinet, takes the same point of view. Both men are from the corn-stalks of the Hawkeye State, from which also emerged "Tamm Jim" Wilson, whose history regards as the dream of wisdom in the Agricultural Department. When men and acres are matched "Iowa plans" must be considered, even though eventually revised.

It will be remembered that during the most troublesome times of the Interior Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane developed a plan to attract the returning soldiers to take up land and engage in farming. At first every body appeared to be for Mr. Lane's scheme, and then there followed an agitation to the effect that farmers were unable to secure labor, and that in consequence the returning soldiers should go out and work on the farms that were already running short-handed. It is not so very clear that the young men followed this lead; but it is very clear that among the unemployed there are hundreds of thousands of ex-servicemen that might have been benefited by Mr. Lane's plan.

In 1892 the homestead law, as we have it today, was adopted, and following the Civil War the young men of the country joined a "back to the land" movement that made for great prosperity in the nation in succeeding years. It is believed by a great many that Mr. Lane had a great vision of the possibilities of restoring some of the rural population and activity, and relieving the congestion in the cities. What he proposed to do for the returning soldiers was to place them on lands which they could purchase on easy terms, and he worked out a plan whereby they could make a living and gain the rewards of their own industry. "Back to the land" talk isn't as of fastidious note as it was when Mr. Lane was behind the idea. The scheme needs a new and powerful leader, because it still has its appeal to thoughtful men and women. It is, however, a pretty poor substitute as an emergency measure for the "down and out" whom it is hoped to aid and assist through movements such as the Unemployment Conference.

BALKY SENATORS

One reads considerable nowadays about Senatorial "bloes," and since the word has not been used a great deal in this connection there is a certain amount of misunderstanding as to its meaning. Just call it "balky" instead of "bloes" and you will have the right meaning.
There are about twenty-three Senators in the so-called "agricultural bloc" in the Senate. Some of them are Republicans and others are Democrats. It is their idea that agriculture is the greatest industry in the nation, and they want the tax legislation, the tariff legislation, and every other kind of legislation, to recognize it as such. Even on the crack of the party whip doesn't make them budge.

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SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

The October term of Supreme Judicial Court convened in due form at South Paris, Tuesday, Oct. 11, with fifteen and jurors as recently published in the Citizen. After the proclamation for silence Rev. M. G. McGlaflin of South Paris offered prayer.

All the grand jurors were present except Charles J. Small of Hiram. E. H. Woodbury of Sweden was excused. H. I. Abbott of Upton for foreman of the grand jury.
This is Judge Dunn's first visit to Oxford County and in his charge to the grand jury he digressed a little from the cut and dried charge to make a few remarks in regard to the county itself and the great men, especially lawyers, who have practiced within its limits or gone out into the state and nation to do their work. It was his good fortune in his early and formative days to attend school in a Maine coast academy which was presided over by a man, afterwards a respected attorney, Judge A. E. Herriek; because of this he could never think of Bethel as simply an Oxford County town but rather it partook something of the holy character of the old Palestine town. He was admitted to the bar at a term of court presided over by another Oxford County man, Judge Enoch Foster, and again on taking up the active practice of law he became the successor in an office of a man almost an Oxford County giant, and one who studied law on Paris Hill, Israel Washburn, Jr. "This is a digression," said Judge Dunn, "but I feel that no apology is needed in making it." He then proceeded to instruct the jury on their duties mixing his remarks with bits of wit and history. He said a jury always reminded him of the description a man once made of the spinal column. "The spinal column," he said, "was a wriggling bone running up the back of a man, with his head and brains on one end and the man on the other." This wriggling backbone held the two together. The grand jury would hear much of the wickedness of life and would have to judge of it and not let the passions of men interfere with the judgment of the brain. The law recognizes only two classes of men—good and bad—the one to be protected and the other to be punished, and in their deliberation it was to be hoped they would find some good men to protect as well as bad men to punish. A grand jury, continued the judge, must consist of at least thirteen men and not exceed twenty-three. It takes twelve men to convict, which is the reason for the first number, also for the second number, so there could never be a tie.
All the thirty-five persons drawn for traverse jurors answered to the roll call. R. N. Stetson of Sumner was foreman of the first jury, and Lawrence A. Clifford of Millton Plantation foreman of the second jury.
Donald P. Chapman of Paris, Alfred Corliss of Hartford, E. E. Johnson of Hebron and A. E. Watson of Stone were excused, and Mark P. Shaw of Paris and Arthur S. Hall of Buckfield were excused subject to call.
Of course many eyes were turned toward Miss Abbott as the first woman to take part in jury duty in Oxford County.
There was a large number of lawyers present at the reading of the docket. Among them were:
E. C. Park, Bethel.
Walter P. Perkins, Cornish.
A. E. Stearns, Rumford.
Merton Kimball, Norway.
B. M. McDonald, Rumford.
Alton C. Wheeler, South Paris.
Eugene F. Smith, Norway.
George A. Hutchins, Rumford.
Albert Bellevue, Rumford.
E. H. Hastings, Fryeburg.
Ralph T. Parker, Rumford.
Walter L. Gray, South Paris.
George M. Atwood, South Paris.
A. J. Stearns, Norway.
George B. Ashworth, Rumford.
Fred B. Dyer, Buckfield.
John P. Swamy, Canton.
William Gallagher, Norway.
Harry M. Shaw, South Paris.
H. H. Hastings, Bethel.
W. G. Conary, Norway.
Matthew McCarty, Rumford.
D. J. McGillicuddy, Lewiston.
At the preliminary reading some thirty-five cases were marked for trial.
The first case for the jury came on Tuesday afternoon by assignment at the May term at Rumford. It was the case of J. R. Pools & Company, grocery brokers of Boston, vs. A. Gauthier & Son, wholesale grocers at Rumford. Matthew McCarty was attorney for the plaintiff and Albert Bellevue for the defendant.
This is a case for an alleged breach of contract. The plaintiffs allege that on

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Wm. Lowe was in Haverhill, Mass., a few days last week.

Messrs. Fred Wheeler and Lloyd Luxton are enjoying a week's hunting trip.

Mrs. Fonti Brown of Norway is caring for Mrs. Leroy Andrews and baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrison of Gorham, N. H., were callers at L. M. Glines', Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inman and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Inman are visiting in Massachusetts this week.

Miss Mildred Penecock of Haverhill, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lowe for several weeks.

Mr. A. C. Hodgdon, who has been a guest of Mr. George Sonia at Maple Inn, returned to Portland, Tuesday.

Please leave all laundry at Lyon's Monday as change of trains necessitates sending it Tuesday A. M. instead of P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Robertson and two children, who have been visiting relatives in Boston, have returned home.

Mr. L. J. Andrews and family and daughter, Mrs. Albert Keniston, of Albany were Sunday callers at Leroy Andrews'.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker and two sons of Bath were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Brinek, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Forbes and Mr. William Forbes were in Upton, Sunday, guests of their mother, Mrs. C. E. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Andrews are rejoicing over the birth of an eight pound daughter, Kathryn Elleen, born Thursday, October 13.

Mrs. E. B. Brown of Crystal, N. H., is spending several weeks with her son, Mr. Chester A. Brinek, and family, also his sister, Mrs. Pearl Chapman of Newry.

A Ford car with a New Hampshire license plate ran over the dump at the Richardson crossing Sunday night. No one was hurt but the car was badly damaged.

Mr. G. J. Hapgood has caught quite a variety of birds and animals in his corn field, among them being hedgehog, raccoons, fox, skunk, bluejays and a barred owl.

Mrs. Charles Dunn, wife of Mr. Justice Dunn, now presiding for the first time over Oxford County Court, and Miss Dunn were guests of Mrs. Addison E. Herriek last Thursday.

Friday evening the district meeting of Odd Fellows was held at Bethel with a large attendance from Norway, South Paris and West Paris Lodges. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed. A banquet was served at the close of the meeting by the Rebekahs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jodrey, Mrs. Emma Jordan, the Misses Dorothy, Doris and Virginia Goodnow went to Gorham, N. H., Sunday, and joined a party there and went to Dolly's Camp and lunched and then went through Pinkham Notch to Fryeburg and home to Bethel. The party was composed of seventeen relatives.

Monday forenoon two automobiles came together on the crossing near the A. B. Richardson house on the West Bethel road. One car was driven by Allen McKenzie of West Bethel and the other car was a New York car. No one was injured. The cars were damaged some but not beyond repair. This crossing is an exceptionally bad one and motorists should use every precaution to avoid accidents.

Mr. Wright's singing class is progressing finely and numbers now over forty. It meets Friday evening at 7.30 at the Methodist vestry. Mr. Wright says there is as much talent in town as ever there was; it is only a lack of interest and not learning how to read music that we have so few singers and they don't realize the value of learning how to read music. The chorus practice the last hour is of great value to the older singers. We are glad to see them come in. Mr. Wright has sang 25 years in the Festival at Portland and says this year was the best of all, and speaks in the highest praise of Helen Yorks.

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STRIKE NEWS FROM RUMFORD

Matters within the International Paper Co. strike zone are moving steadily forward, new men being brought in constantly, while the strikers continue to have their picket controls stationed on the various approach-avenues to the mill. So far as it appears to an outsider, however, as about all they seem able to do is to shout to the new comers, telling them scabs, rats, industrial scoundrels, etc.

The force of deputies on duty keeping the strikers well out of the way of the incoming men, and to date there have been no disorders other than mentioned. It is reported that a rabid agitator has been in town within a day or two, preaching the doctrine of violence against strike breakers and mill property. This local strikers, all of whom are good citizens of Rumford, would not stand for, and the agitator was forced to move out of town.

On Friday last some eighty new men were brought in, and on Monday something like 16 men on the morning train came in, and from 10 to 15 men on the afternoon train. These men were detained at the railroad station and taken in over Paper Company property, so the strikers had no opportunity to come into direct contact with them.

Six more carloads of machinery were last week shipped away from the local plant of the Continental Paper and Bag mill. This shipment together with the previous ones makes a total of 19 carloads shipped from here since September 1. No immediate sign of settlement is in sight.

DANIEL N. HAWTHORNE

Daniel Hawthorne of Worcester, Mass., while working at Woodland, Me. for the Holyoke Machine Co., was instantly killed. The exact circumstances of the accident are unknown. The remains were brought to Bethel, Monday night accompanied by Mr. H. D. Haines of the Holyoke Machine Co., and were removed to Jack's funeral parlors. Tuesday afternoon the remains were taken to the home of Charles Powers in Newry where funeral services were held, Rev. Mr. Little officiating.

Mr. Hawthorne married the daughter of Mr. Powers who died some years ago. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Stephen Simpson of Worcester, Mass. Among the out of town people were his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Simpson of Worcester, Mass., Mr. H. D. Haines and Mr. Alexander Reid, representatives of the Holyoke Machine Co., of Worcester, Mass.

The flowers were many and beautiful showing the high esteem in which he was held.

Spray of White Pinks,
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Simpson
Bouquet of Chrysanthemums,
Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Miss Poland
Wreath, Holyoke Machine Co.
Wreath, Holyoke Machine Co. Employees
Pillow, Red Men

G. A. NOTES

Mid-term examinations will be given next week.

Mr. Robinson was the guest of Arnold Eames on Saturday at his home in Newry.

Geneva Grover of the Sophomore Class has been obliged to leave school on account of trouble with her eyes.

Miss Seybolt is at her home in Portsmouth, N. H., on account of illness. She hopes to return to her work next week.

The Y. W. C. A. meeting was held Tuesday afternoon with forty-four members present. The leaders were Ferol Brinek, Louisa Shordon and Genie Saunders. The subject, "Honor in School," was discussed in an interesting manner, many of the girls taking part in the discussion. Special music was furnished by a small chorus.

Mr. Francis Mills was in Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. C. K. Fox, who has been ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark were in Norway, Tuesday.

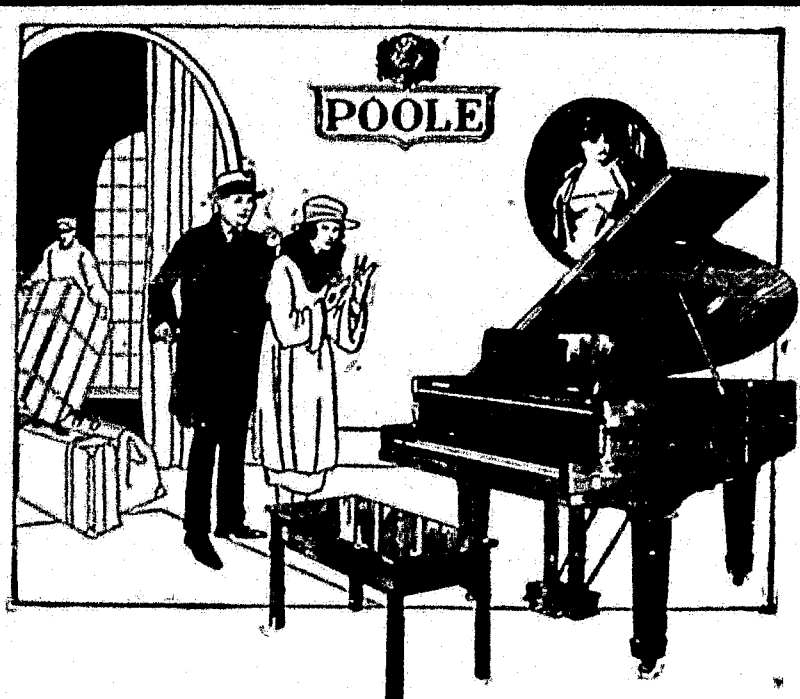
Teeter boards and a basket ball hoop have been installed on the grounds at the brick school.

Mrs. Octavia Bean came Thursday to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Edmund Merrill, and family.

Mr. Maynard Lowe of Haverhill, Mass., was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe.

Grange Store

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SPARING THE ROD

"AS I came past Jimmelson's house this morning," said the assessor, "I saw him applying a buggy-whip to his fifteen-year-old boy with a zeal worthy a better cause. I think a man should be arrested and punished for such an offense."

"There are many arguments for and against corporal punishment," observed the village patriarch, "and those arguments have been handed back and forth for something like two thousand years, and the question is as far from being settled, at the hour of going to press, as it was when Caesar double-crossed the Rubicon."

"I believe that every man must be his own judge about the management of his family. Jimmelson strikes me as an excellent citizen, and he should be a successful parent. If he finds it necessary to wear out a buggy-whip on his heir, I have no doubt that the provocation is sufficient. If his policy is wrong he is pretty sure to realize it before long and change his tactics; meanwhile outsiders have no reason to butt in, and the idea of calling the police is perfectly ridiculous."

"My father was an old-fashioned man who believed that an ounce of birch was better than a ton of education. He kept a small sapling behind the kitchen door and applied it to my person whenever I violated the by-laws governing our happy home. I think he probably carried his theory to extremes; whipping me became a sort of dissipation with him. But I am willing to admit that his treatment did me good, and I can't imagine what would have become of me but for it."

"My mother believed in moral suasion, and used to plead and argue with me, but I can't remember that her tender eloquence ever prevented me from breaking into a melon patch or dashing in forbidden waters. Her method probably would have been successful in many cases. There are boys who are responsive to such appeals, but I was headstrong as a government mule and when I wanted to do something it took more than gentle counsel to head me off."

"I had a profound respect for that sapling behind the door. It always seemed to be quivering with impatience to get at me, and my father regarded it with loving glances. It used to mystify me how he heard of everything I did. There was no such thing as concealing a crime or misdemeanor from him."

"I'd swipe a few apples from a farmer's orchard, for instance, and would be willing to make an affidavit that nobody had seen me. I took all possible precautions against discovery. Yet in the evening, when I got home, my stern parent would meet me at the door and say, 'So you have been robbing Farmer Dofunny's orchard, hey? You are fully aware that robbing orchards does violence to the peace and dignity of the state, and is contrary to the provisions of the revised statutes. Come, therefore, and receive the punishment prescribed by Solomon and other law givers.'"

"He always explained that it caused him the most poignant sorrow to pour the birch into me, but I couldn't believe in his sincerity, for his eyes sparkled with unseemly joy at such times, and if he had used the same enthusiasm when sawing wood, he'd have whacked up two or three cords in an hour."

"I don't know to this day how he found out everything I did, unless he did some quiet sleuthing with false whiskers and a dark lantern, but he always did discover everything, and when I fully realized that fact I decided to reform and became a model young man. I was so extremely good that my father couldn't dig up an excuse for chastising me, and a settled melancholy fell upon him and he pined away until he died. I'll never forget the reproachful glances he used to cast upon me, as though asking whether I considered my course honorable or generous. I got into the habit of being good, and have never been able to break away from it."

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says the man who is too willing to take advice is liable to spend a whole lot of precious time listening to conversation.

The Only One on Him.

Cooper—It took Blodson five hours to drive three pigs out of his front garden last night.

Davies—Surely even Blodson could move quicker than the pig?

Cooper—Oh, he found he could move faster than three pigs, all right; but not in as many directions.

Some Left.

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EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon M. Kimball made a business trip to South Paris and returned, Saturday.

Miss Edna Bartlett accompanied by Miss Lillian Cochran were over Sunday guests at her home here.

Messrs. William and Robert Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hastings enjoyed a motor trip to Farmington and returned last Sunday.

Mrs. Octavia B. Bean has closed her home residence here and moved to Bethel village to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Edmund Merrill, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean, Mrs. S. G. Rich and Miss Jennie Rich were recent guests of relatives at the Brown camps, Kezar Lake, Lovell, Me., also enjoyed an auto tour around the White Mountains visiting the New Hampshire Lakes and many noted places of interest.

Miss Ethel Blake, Mr. Jack Clark and Mr. Thomas Donuham all of Malden, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Carrie Bartlett. Sunday a party of twelve relatives and friends from the Bartlett homestead with Mrs. Bartlett as hostess enjoyed a delightful trip to Errol, N. H., going by way of Graton Notch and Umbagog Lake, visiting the Falls and Jail and all places of interest. A delicious picnic dinner was spread on the lawn of the late N. F. Swan hillside farm, Errol, N. H., which was Mrs. Bartlett's birthplace and childhood home. Here a grand view of the New Hampshire Lakes and mountains were observed. The return home was made by the thirteen mile road, Berlin, Gorham and Bethel, making an eventful day greatly enjoyed by all and much appreciated by the Massachusetts party.

Notice to all ex-service men and women in Norway, South Paris, Rangeley, Bryant Pond, Bridgton, Bethel, Oxford and vicinity.

A group of specialists from the newly organized Veterans' Bureau consisting of Medical Examiners, Compensation and Insurance Men, and Vocational Training Men, will be in Norway, October 24th to 27th.

It is very much desired to have all ex-service men and women who have any claim against the United States Government to present themselves to this board at Norway during the above period.

Compensation cases will be speedily attended to, Insurance Claims adjusted, applicants hospitalized if necessary, and applications for Vocational Training passed upon.

Transportation, meals and lodging if necessary will be furnished those applicants residing outside of the immediate

vicinity of Norway.

Kindly forward at once to Dr. R. F. Bradbury, South Paris, Maine, the names and addresses of those in your locality that should take advantage of this opportunity. All names and addresses must be in before October 24th.

In event that the applicant is not physically able to appear before this board, kindly notify Dr. Bradbury of the same.

If this does not apply to you look around and report in at once the name and address of any ex-service man that you happen to know and who needs the attention of these Representatives of the Veterans' Bureau.

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CANTON

Francis H. Balf occupied the pulpit of the Universalist church, Sunday.

Merle Chamberlin is recovering from his recent surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wyman of No. Abington, Mass., have been at their summer home, "The Lodge," for a short stay.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson was a recent guest of Miss Rossie Hinds at Bemis.

Miss Maxie Lewis has returned to her home in Portland.

The entertainment by "The Versatile Artists," at the Grange Hall, Monday evening was one of the best musical entertainments ever given in town.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Richardson are visiting in Boston for a week or two.

The funeral of William Wallace Rose was held at the home Tuesday, Rev. Frank M. Lamb officiating. The floral offerings were very beautiful and included tributes from the United Baptist church, his Sunday School class, Canton Grange, Anasagunticook Lodge I. O. O. F., and the Androscoggin Valley Agricultural Society. The bearers were Fred O. Bartlett, Walter E. Marston, Caleb E. Mendall and Alton Tyler.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Asa Gilman of Woodfords, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leavitt of Hillman's Ferry, Mrs. Eliza Pratt, Mrs. Clara Jones and Mrs. Lewis Irish of Rumford, Mrs. Eliza Stetson of Dixfield, Mr. and Mrs. Will Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Allen of E. Hebron, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tucker of Hartford, Mrs. Harry March and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Babb and son of Dixfield. The interment was at Pine Woods cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Foster passed her 82d birthday, Oct. 7, and was the recipient of cards, flowers, confectionery, etc., and a beautiful birthday cake upon which were the dates 1839-1921.

Miss Ruth Richardson left Wednesday on a journey to Casper, Wyoming, where she will visit her cousin, Mrs. Elmer R. Lane, and family. She plans to go to California before her return home in the spring.

Mrs. Susie Cole has returned home from Oxford, where she spent the summer.

Mrs. Evie B. York attended the Universalist Convention at Auburn the past week.

Alphonse P. Russell is attending court at So. Paris as traverser juror. Rollo Hines is also attending court.

A merry social was held at the high school room, Friday evening, which was well attended.

Mrs. A. S. Bicknell has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Foster, of Chesterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Noyes of Cambridge, Mass., are guests of their niece and nephew, Carrie P., and Asa P. Hayford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Randall of Avon, Mass., and Mrs. Martin Peck of Brockton, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Randall and Mrs. Herbert Foote and family of Hartford.

Sybil Park was at home for the week end.

Marco Lavorgna, Jr., will leave this week for Boston to continue the study of music.

Rev. N. G. French of Auburn was a recent visitor in Canton.

Miss Mary N. Richardson has returned to her studio in Boston for the winter.

Mrs. Mary P. Richardson, O. M. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tirrell, Mrs. Edie Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Richardson spent Thursday at Shagg Pond.

Mrs. Helen M. Mitchell will go to California this month to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dalley, Mrs. Bello Hines, Elton Dalley and friend went to Auburn, Wednesday, and were guests of Elmer Dalley and family, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Hines and Mr. Dalley, who are twins. A pleasant time was enjoyed which wound up with a theatre party in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalley remained down for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Arthur Goding is recovering from her recent surgical operation.

The Universalist Circle will hold an all day meeting at the vestry Thursday.

The Scandinavian Club met Tuesday with Miss Ethel W. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers of New York, who are stopping at the cottage of G. L. Wadlin were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Packard.

Mrs. Helen Eastman and Mrs. G. H. Johnson are attending the Rebekah Assembly at Portland.

Mrs. F. M. Lamb is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jason Merrill, and family of Bath.

The annual inspection of Evergreen (Baker, O. E. S.), will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 16, at a special meeting. The Grand Master, Miss Mabel DeShon of Portland, will be the inspecting officer. Miss DeShon was a former resident of Canton and her visit is looked forward to with pleasure.

Miss Rossie Hinds of Bemis spent the week end with friends in town.

The scholars in the primary school sent Merle Chamberlin a card shower last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Tirrell and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Noyes spent Sunday at E. Hebron, guests of Mrs. Reginald Eastman and Shirley O. Tirrell and

families.

H. F. Richardson is loading a carload of apples at the Canton station.

Early Saturday morning the town hall at Hartford Center burned to the ground, with no insurance. The value of the hall was about \$5,000, and was the only public building in the place and is a great loss to the town. A piano owned by Miss Winnie Robinson, which was placed in the hall for the use of the weekly dances the past summer was burned.

SOUTH PARIS

George C. Wing, Jr., of Auburn was a visitor in town Friday.

Mrs. Ralph Cole has gone to New York City, where she is the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Eben Marshall of Auburn was a recent guest of relatives in town.

G. C. Houghton of Oxford was in town two days last week.

Mrs. Rachel Parlin is the guest of her son, Dennis Parlin, and family, in Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small of Dixfield were in town last week.

Mrs. C. G. Miller, who has been the guest of relatives in Philadelphia, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson and Eugene Jackson left last week for an auto trip to Cheswell, Oregon.

Benjamin Swett has gone to Canada with his son, Louie Swett of Bangor, where they will enjoy a hunting trip.

Mrs. Mary Bridge of Mechanic Falls was in town Friday and Saturday.

Dr. C. L. Buck was in attendance at the 52nd annual meeting of Maine Sunday School Association at Lewiston last Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Martha Hersey of Hartford, Ct., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hall a few days last week.

Mrs. Emma W. Mann is attending the Rebekah Assembly in Portland this week.

Rev. and Mrs. D. F. Faulkner of Gorham, Maine, were guests of friends in town last week.

Mrs. Cora G. Haley and Mrs. Helen G. McAllister of Brownfield were in town several days last week.

Miss Marie Bryner has returned to her home in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dean, Miss Grace Dean and Allie Gota spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pike at Cornish.

Mrs. Percy Murch and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grant of Lewiston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bryant of Tenants Harbor were in town over the week end. Miss Elizabeth Muzzy accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Mrs. Etta Winslow and Mrs. Bertha Turner were in North Buckfield several days last week, guests of their father, Calvin Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Clifford were in Worcester, Mass., last week, where they were guests of his brother, H. W. Clifford.

Mrs. G. I. Burnham and Miss Ruth M. Graves were in Portland several days last week and attended the music festival.

NORWAY

The Browning Reading Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Jennie M. Foster. The program included a roll call with quotations from Maine authors. Mrs. Gertrude Libby gave a read, "Maine, My State."

The last preaching service of the season at the Norway Center Congregational church was held Sunday.

The Barton Reading Club held a very interesting meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank A. Danforth.

Norway Castle, K. G. E., will work the Crusaders degree at Portland on Friday evening, Oct. 29. A large delegation from the local castle will be present.

W. G. Conary was a business visitor at East Stonham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brackett of West Medford, Mass., were guests of her aunt, Mrs. Cyrus S. Tucker, Friday.

Miss Rose Merrill, a graduate of Norway High School, class of 1921, is acting as stenographer for D. E. Partridge, Clerk of Court.

Carl Boynton from Portland was a business visitor in town last week. He visited his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Boynton, before his return.

Mr. Harry Kimball is clerking at the H. E. Gibson & Son store.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a social at the Community Hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 26.

A special meeting of Harry Rust W. R. C. was held last Wednesday evening at Legion Hall. The meeting was called for inspection. A delicious covered dish supper was served.

Mrs. Ernest Halmon has moved her household goods from Portland to her new home, the former Freeland Howe stand, on Main street.

Extensive repairs are being made on the Mason Kilgore home.

Miss Harriett Abbott of Fryeburg is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hebard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Stimson recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stimson and son, and Mrs. John Shorey of Conway, N. H.

Miss Clara Ames, who has been in Portland for the past three months, has returned home.

NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Wight of Framingham, Mass., are guests at W. B. Wight's.

Lee Vail has gone to McCarthy's Hospital, Bamford, for an operation.

S. T. Tripp has gone to Errol, N. H., to work.

Mrs. Pearl Chapman has gone to Errol, N. H., to work for Mrs. Ellis Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wight were guests at W. B. Wight's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brooks were in Bethel, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hanseom and L. E. Wight and family motored to Poland Springs, Sunday.

The Branch school will close Friday for a week's vacation.

Mr. Skillings from Bethel has been in town moving the boiler and engine left from Braun's mill. The mill was burned early in the summer.

W. B. Wight is having his house painted.

J. Hastings Bean and son, Donald, and family of South Paris were callers at W. B. Wight's, Sunday.

Oley Olson has been digging potatoes for Frank Bennett.

Mrs. Frank Bragg of Farmington has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gail Eaman.

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Mrs. Nellie Cross and daughter, Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins and Will Seames spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burnell at Fryeburg.

Napoleon Machia spent the week end in town.

John Kenagh was buying apples out of town for M. E. Cummings last week.

Several from here went to see the

aeroplane at Bethel during the week end.

Mrs. Thomas Kennagh spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Perley Planderson, at Skillingston.

Roy Cummings was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeargle spent Sunday at Allister Lowe's.

Mr. Lapham was in town, recently after a load of apples.

Dr. R. R. Tibbetts was in town last week.

W. C. Cross and Will Seames went to North Paris, Thursday, after a load of barrels.

Martin Lydon of Bethel is working in town.

Sumner Bean was a recent caller at

Geo. Conner's.

Mrs. Kerstead of Albany was in town last week.

NORTH WATERFORD

The friends of Abel Andrews are glad to hear he came home from the hospital Sunday.

Fred Littlefield took his son, Millard, home with him Friday night to stay until Monday.

Annie Hazelton has been in very poor health for a few weeks with no improvement.

Several from here went to Lovell, Wednesday evening to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Marston, and a fine time was

reported.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hazelton were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Hazelton, and called at Fred Littlefield's. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Farmer went with them and visited at Fred Littlefield's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Plisk were called to the Maine General Hospital at Portland to see her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Knight, who was very low and who passed away that night. They attended the funeral at Harrison, Friday.

Mrs. Fanti Brown, who has been staying at her sister's, Mrs. Geo. Holt's, is at Bethel caring for Mrs. Leroy Andrews and baby girl.

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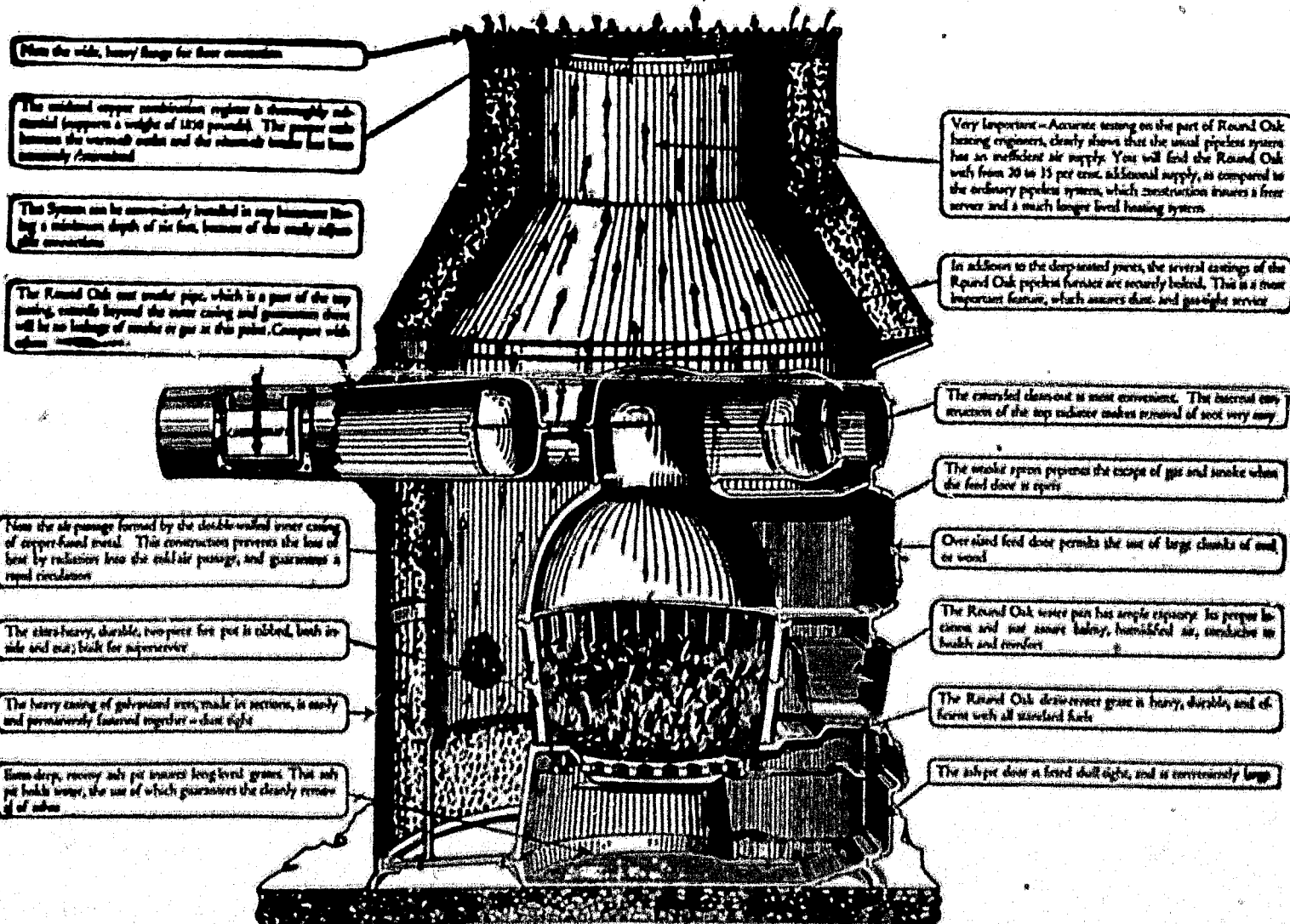
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NORWAY, MAINE

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. L. M. Valentine is the guest of friends in Portland.

Mr. Ray Leslie was in town a few days the first of the week.

Miss Ethel Bennett of Gilead has employment at Maple Inn.

Mr. Ralph Young has been visiting his family for a few days.

Mrs. Nahom Moore and daughter have returned from Rumford.

Mrs. L. W. Hamrell is attending the Deborah Assembly of Maine at Portland.

Miss Annie Whittier of Portland was a week end guest of her sister, Miss Lucy Whittier.

An auto party from Gorham, N. H., was in town, recently, looking for apples and chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen and son, Stanley, and Mr. E. A. Allen were at West Bethel, Sunday.

Mr. John Kendall and family of Lowell were at Fred Clark's, Saturday, and Mrs. Mary Kendall returned home with them.

Mr. Lester Flint of Portland was in town last week. On his return Miss Christine Flint accompanied him for a short visit.

Inspection of the National Guard was held last Thursday by Major Goodwin of Portland, who inspected the equipment, and was very much pleased.

Brown Relief Corps was inspected by Mrs. Clara Allen of Biddeford, Department Junior Vice President, on Oct. 15, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vandervekerhoven and son William, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Den Kerkhoven went to Boston the last of the week. Mr. William Van returned to his school.

Mr. Fred Clark is making repairs at Maple Inn.

Mr. E. P. Lyon was a visitor in Lewiston, Friday.

Mr. C. H. L. Powers has gone to Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. E. G. Harrison picked ripe raspberries this week.

Mrs. H. P. Wheeler, who is ill at her home on Church street, is improving.

Rev. B. T. Achenbach officiated at the funeral of Clarence Burgess, Monday afternoon.

Monday, Mr. A. P. Copeland returned from a business trip in the eastern part of the State.

Sergeant Osborne was in town Monday night and gave special instructions on the care of pistol and also physical drill.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carter have closed their home on Broad street and returned to Boston, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Biggs and Mrs. Craig, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Greenleaf for the past few weeks, returned to Farmington, Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. George Farnsworth, who were called here by the illness of Dr. and Mrs. Gehring, returned to their home in Cleveland, Ohio, Monday.

Mr. Millett of Portland, Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Maine, I. O. O. F., was in town Friday night to attend the district meeting of that order.

Mrs. E. T. Russell and Miss Isabel Shirley left Bethel, Wednesday morning for their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., where they will spend the winter.

Miss Martha Hersey, who has been the guest of Mrs. P. B. Chandler, went to Yarmouth, Wednesday, and will return to her home in Hartford, Conn., the last of October.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Dillings, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Cross and daughter, Bertha were in Colebrook, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Allen of Biddeford was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan while in town last week.

NORTH PARIS

Harry W. Chapman has been in Boston the past week on business.

Mrs. A. D. Littlehale and Mrs. Alfred Andrews were at South Paris and Norway, Friday.

Mr. Clayton Churchill and family are to move to South Paris this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wheeler's little daughter is sick with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Anna Butterfield was in South Paris last Saturday.

Pearl Parker is at work picking apples for J. J. Trask.

Mrs. Mary Campbell is visiting at A. D. Andrews'.

F. A. Littlehale and wife and E. V. Kimball and wife were at Dixfield, Sunday, to visit Wilfred Kimball.

Arthur Beck is at work for James Abbott.

MASON

Dr. Wight of Bethel was called to E. C. Mills', one day recently.

P. E. Stevens of Locke's Mills was in town with his peddle cart Monday.

J. Norwood Marshall of Farmington, agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., was in town, Saturday.

Herman Merrill has finished work for Francis Westleigh.

Mrs. Merle Swan of Bethel called at E. C. Mills', Sunday evening.

Mrs. Clyde Whitman of Grover Hill was at E. C. Mills', Sunday.

P. J. Tyler of Bethel was at Eli Grover's, Sunday.

Frank Host of Gorham, N. H., was in town, Tuesday, looking for apples.

J. A. McKenzie was at South Paris one day recently.

Eli Grover has been doing some harrowing for D. W. Cushing.

Adelaide Largey is at work for Mrs. Merrill.

ANDOVER

Mrs. Mary Adams, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Jane Gregg, has returned to Norway, where she will spend the winter in the home of her son-in-law, Dr. Harry Jones.

Ray Thurston has commenced lumbering operations near Black Brook. He is cutting birch for the spool mill.

Mrs. Joel Morton is very ill.

Annie and Florence Akers, who teach in Rumford, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes.

Ralph Remington fell on a saw at the Elliott and Bartlett spool mill Tuesday of last week and cut his arm severely.

He was taken to McCarty Hospital at Rumford immediately.

Miss Jennie Cushman, who has been a guest at the Homestead for several months, returned this week to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Edward Stuart is working in the woods for Ray Thurston.

Edwin Morton caught a large bear in a trap at North Andover, recently.

Webster Learned and family from Rumford visited his people, P. W. Learned and wife, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Doris Jones, who teaches at No. 4, spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Mexico.

Richard Osburn, Edward Baker and Mr. Marer are digging ditch for Y. A. Thurston.

Herschell Bodwell, who was accidentally shot Saturday, Oct. 8, while hunting in the woods near Andover village by his companion, Robert Milton, is in a serious condition at the McCarty Hospital. His mother, Mrs. Neal Bodwell, is helping care for him.

Thomas Learned shot a deer last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hanson and daughter, Adelia, from Rumford were in town, Sunday.

The King's Daughters will meet this Thursday with Mrs. Edward Akers.

Mrs. Dolly Elliott is assisting Mrs. Oscar Damon.

F. P. Thomas has a Round Oak one pipe furnace installed in his house.

There was a baked bean and oyster supper at the Universalist vestry, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Charles Ripley has gone to the Benjamin Bigelow farm, recently purchased by R. L. Melcher of Rumford, to keep house for Mr. Ripley who has charge of some lumbering operations there.

A number of the Pythian Sisters of Ellis Glen Temple attended the convention at Hanover last week.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Littlehale has been very ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Ruth Gilman Dorlan has been caring for him.

Mrs. Jonathan Bartlett suffered a slight paralytic shock last week while visiting her son, Dr. Herman Bartlett, and family at Norway.

Joel and Frank Morton are repairing the buildings at the Emerson farm that were recently damaged by fire.

The Ancient and Honorable Whist Club gave Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett a farewell reception Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rand. Nearly every member was present. Whist and a social time was enjoyed. After refreshments, Mr. John F. Talbot in a pleasing manner presented Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett a bridge whist set as a token of esteem and remembrance. They responded in a feeling manner and after wishing them much happiness the members returned to their homes. Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett have made many friends while in Andover. They left town Friday for their new home in Norway.

MARSHALL DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Briggs, Miss Nina Briggs, Mrs. Walter Canwell and little daughter went to Norway, recently on a shopping trip.

Mrs. Lizzie Wilson has gone to Hanover, N. H., to visit her son and family.

Mrs. Etta Flint passed away at her home last week. She has been an invalid for years and has been faithfully and tenderly cared for by her only son and her two daughters.

Mr. Geo. Orr of Portland has been spending a few days with Mr. Harry Smith at his camp.

MAINE FAIR DATES, 1921

Below is a list of the Maine fair dates with name of secretary and address, and the place where the fair is held.

Dec. 6-8—Freeport Poultry, Freeport, L. G. Gushing, Freeport.

Dec. 20-23—Bangor Poultry, Bangor, H. I. Bolton, Bangor.

Dec. 27-30—S. Berwick Poultry, So. Berwick, Ralph B. Foss, S. Berwick.

Jan. 3-5, 1922—Western Maine Poultry, South Paris, C. Guy Buck, So. Paris.

Removing Mildew

Chloride of lime, used intelligently, will remove mildew. Do not use too much. A teaspoonful to a small tub or pail full of water is plenty. Be sure lime is thoroughly dissolved, or better still, tie it up in a stout piece of cloth and run water onto it, pressing the cloth with a stick; then allow it to float in tub. Immerse articles to be cleansed and allow to stand several hours. Remove and rinse thoroughly in several waters. Repeat if necessary, but do not increase quantity of lime, as it will eat the material.

Strained Muscle

The organist at Gloucester cathedral declares that the present vogue of wearing hair over the ears is responsible for a lot of poor singing. His opinion is open to criticism, but it is generally admitted that it would be better if some singers wore the hair over their mouths instead.—Eve (London).

Rope From Milkweed Fiber

The fiber of some species of milkweed has been raised in twisting rope. The lint found in the pods, while fine and silky, lacks twist and cannot be used for spinning, but it has been used for stuffing pillows.

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RUMFORD

The marriage of Miss Lena Antil and Miss Lena Antil took place at St. John's church, officiating, The Rev. John Violette and the Rev. Charles Antil.

Invitations are out of Miss Christine M. Antil of Mr. and Mrs. J. or of Franklin street, to a wedding, which is to be at Rumford Universalist church, Oct. 26, at 8 o'clock evening. Miss McGowan, public schools of Rumford, is of this town, and education at Roger's, Mass. Mr. Downs, having resigned for the past few years, is a resident of Rumford.

A bungalow is being built on street in which they housekeeping in the street. Work is progressing on upper Franklin street. James K. and John N. be a three family house.

Mrs. Orie Patterson position as bookkeeper department of the M. Company, to succeed March resigned.

Miss Rose Mathieu, who is at the Castine Sun, is at the Castine Sun, and the direction of Philanthropy on this subject, of the naturalization commission school.

Mrs. Claude Gilpatrick left last week for the Milton, Vt., where Mr. been located for several as agent for the International Company. Mr. Gilpatrick a week to assist in hold goods, and accompany to their new home. Mr. Gilpatrick have been residing for the past 15 years in the town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Park have recently returned from a trip, have an apartment on Hancock street. The marriage of Miss Carlton Brown, Royal, Miss Mildred Bolton, last week at Trinity church, N. B. Mr. Brown, resident of Rumford, at the David Brown, who

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RUMFORD

The marriage of Wilfred Pelletier and Miss Lena Antil took place last week at St. John's church, the Rev. Fr. Boivin officiating. The attendants were John Violette and the bride's father, Charles Antil.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Christine M. McGregor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. McGregor of Franklin street and Mr. Nathaniel H. Downs, which is to take place at the Rumford Universalist church on Wednesday, Oct. 26, at eight o'clock in the evening. Miss McGregor attended the public schools of Rumford, being a native of this town, and completed her education at Roger's Hall in Lowell, Mass. Mr. Downs comes from Gloucester, Mass., having resided in Rumford for the past few years, being superintendent of Rumford Mechanics Institute. A bungalow is being built on Penobscot street in which they expect to go to housekeeping in the spring.

Work is progressing on the house on upper Franklin street, being built by James K. and John N. Welch. It is to be a three family house.

Mrs. Orie Patterson has accepted the position as bookkeeper in the auditing department of the Maine Tel. & Tel. Company, to succeed Miss Esther March resigned.

Miss Rose Matthieu and Miss Priscilla Roderick, who took special training at the Castine Summer School this summer on "Americanization" under the direction of Philip Davis, an authority on this subject, now have charge of the naturalization course at Rumford night school.

Mrs. Claude Gilpatrick and little son left last week for their new home in Milton, Vt., where Mr. Gilpatrick has been located for several months past, as agent for the International Paper Company. Mr. Gilpatrick was here for a week to assist in moving his household goods, and accompanied his family to their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Gilpatrick have been residents of Rumford for the past 15 years and will be greatly missed.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Parke Madison, who have recently returned from their wedding trip, have an apartment in the Hancock apartments on Hancock street.

The marriage of Lieutenant Colonel Carlton Brown, Royal Engineer, and Miss Mildred Bolton Todd took place last week at Trinity church, St. Stephens, N. B. Mr. Brown was a former resident of Rumford, and a son of the late David Brown, who with his family

were long time residents of this place in its earlier days. The groom is a nephew of Mrs. John K. McKenzie of Knox street this town. The bride couple left immediately for Constantinople where the groom has been stationed for some time.

The death of Robert Finley occurred last week at the McCarty Hospital following an operation performed for ulcers of the stomach. Mr. Finley lived in Medford, Mass., but was at work in Rumford laying brick for the fireplace in the new home of Dr. William T. Rowe on Penobscot street.

A call has been extended to the Rev. Allen Brown, pastor of the Universalist church for another year's service. Mr. Brown completes a six years stay in this church the first of November.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irish of Spring avenue are spending two weeks in Eastport.

Mrs. William Waterhouse, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is so far recovered as to be up and around the house. The quarantine will not be lifted, however, until the first of November.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Austin are visiting in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George McConaughy have moved from the Virginia District to a house in Strathglass Park.

Mrs. Harold Partenhelm (nee Macauley) and son of Chichester Falls, Mass., are guests of relatives in town.

Mrs. Booker will have a class in dressmaking at the night school. There will be lessons for beginners, also for more advanced pupils.

Miss Lila Carl of the Maine Coated Paper Co. office is spending ten days at her home in Woodstock.

An extension is being made on the garage at St. John's rectory on Main avenue.

The old band stand near the library has been torn down.

Miss Elizabeth Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens of Prospect avenue, has accepted a position as dietitian at the Willard Parker Hospital in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Young and children are visiting Mrs. Young's people in Lisbon. Mr. Young is recovering nicely from his recent operation for appendicitis.

Robert Wishart and family have moved from the McMenamin house on Knox street to a house in Strathglass Park. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hall have moved into the rent made vacant

by the moving of the Wisharts. Thomas McCafferty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McCafferty of Waldo street has left for St. Anselm's College in Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilpatrick of Richmond, Maine, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie Arlene to Gerald Herman Beals of Rumford.

A Rumford Shrine Club has been formed and the officers elected are: President, F. O. Eaton; Vice President, R. I. Peterson; Treasurer, R. L. Melcher; Secretary, Carl Andrews; Executive Committee, E. A. Altree, R. J. Harris, Alfred Sparks.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold their annual sale on Dec. 20. The death of Mabel, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beaudette of Waldo street occurred last week. Services were held at St. John's church, Rev. Father Boivin officiating.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold their annual fair and sale on Dec. 9. About \$40 was realized from the supper held in the vestry on Thursday evening last.

The following were admitted to citizenship from Rumford at the October term of the Supreme Judicial Court: Frank Pye, H. L. Kilburn, William Shand and Thomas McMaster.

At the Teachers' State Convention to be held in Portland, Oct. 27 and 28 we note the appearance of several Rumford teachers. At the Science Session to be held on the afternoon of Oct. 27, Harold G. Noyes of Rumford High School will be the first speaker, his subject being "Applied Science in Maine High Schools."

At the Home Economic Session, Miss M. Sanford Combs of Rumford will give a 15 minute talk on "The School Lunch Problem in Rural Schools."

On Friday afternoon, Oct. 28, at the Physical Education Exhibition, a demonstration will be given by Rumford Junior High, directed by Miss Arline Clark, Physical Director.

Rev. Culbert McGay, a former rector of St. Barnabas church, but for 12 years a rector of Grace Episcopal church in Bath, has accepted the rectorship of the Episcopal church at Northeast Harbor, beginning his duties there about Nov. 1. He has recently been preaching in Port Deposit, Md.

Mrs. Oliver Pettengill is in New York City this week on business.

Mrs. May Kempton is receiving treatment at Dr. Cobb's Hospital in Auburn.

Miss Clara Barrows of Canton is engaged as nurse on a special case at the McCarty Hospital.

Adjutant General John A. Hadley, formerly of Rumford, is one of the party accompanying Governor Baxter on a tour through Aroostook County this week. During the trip, Governor Baxter, Adjutant General Hadley and Col. Albert Greenlaw of Eastport will give addresses on the building up of the National Guard. While on the trip a campaign for recruiting a battalion of field artillery in Aroostook County will be conducted by Adjutant General Hadley.

Fred Bernier has been fined in the Rumford court \$500 and sentenced to three months in jail for keeping and depositing. He appeared and was held at \$1,000 bail.

The annual Ladies' Night of Strathglass Commandery will be held on Monday evening, Oct. 24. A banquet will be served at 6:30 followed by a dance and entertainment. E. A. Altree is general chairman and has appointed several committees to work with him.

Walter H. Booker, chief electrician for the Maine Coated mill has just taken on the delivery of a 1923 Chevrolet F. B. Model touring car. Freeman Coolidge has also purchased a 1923 Chevrolet touring car.

The following French books are now in the Rumford Public Library: Le roi des montagnes; Algeperes; A dix huit ans; Dandet-Letres de mon moulin; Tartarin sur les Alpes; Tartarin de Tarascon; Dumas—Le Comte de Monte Christo; 5 vols. Les Trois Mousquetaires; La Tulipe Noire; Hugo—Les Misérables; 4 vols. Les Travailleurs de la mer; 2 vols; Loti—Pêcheur d'Islande; Materlinck—L'oiseau bleu; Poemes des poilus; Souvestre—Au coin du feu; La valise noire; Dickens—Bleak House; Feuillet—Le roman d'un jeune homme pauvre; Lamartine—Graziella.

Mrs. Ina P. Garland, who has been teaching school in West Peru, has been very ill with double pneumonia. She has a trained nurse. Mrs. Garland is somewhat improved at this time.

Some of the interesting non-fiction books now in the Rumford Public Library are: Abraham Lincoln, a play; John Drinkwater; Americanization of Edward Bok, an autobiography; God's Country; James Oliver Curwood; Happy Hunting Ground; Kermit Roosevelt; History of the Hebrew Commonwealth; Bailey and Kent; It Might Have Happened to You; Coningsby; Dawson; Kipling's Verse, inclusive edition, 1895-1918; Margot Aquith, an autobiography; 3 vols; Myrtle Isles of the South Seas; Frederick O'Brien; New Jerusalem; Olbert K. Chesterton; Peace Negotiations; Robert Lansing; Reaming Through the West Indies; Harry A. Franck; Russia in the Shadows; H. G. Wells.

The following officers of the class of 1923 of Rumford High School have been elected: President, Donovan Jenkins;

Vice President, Mildred Dorion; Secretary, Hester Burgess; Treasurer, Warren Trask; Executive Committee, John Perrault, Elizabeth Fernald, Everett Whoolley, and another member to be soon elected to take the place of Donovan, who has resigned.

Principal J. Frank Carter of the Rumford High School is arranging for an extensive course in psychology to be conducted in Rumford this winter. It will be given under the auspices of the University of Maine, and Mr. Carter is connected with the University as a lecturer in psychology.

With the election of Gerald O'Neill, 1922, R. H. S., as baseball manager for the coming season, the organization of the Athletic Association is complete. The list of officers is as follows: President, Gerald O'Neill; Vice President, Kathleen Morse; Secretary-Treasurer, Frederick Dunham.

Rumford evening school opened last week and has an enrollment of 112 pupils. They are enrolled in the various departments as follows:—Naturalization 23, Elementary 10, Commercial 23, Automobile Repairing 10, Cooking 10, Sewing 7, Pulp and Paper Mill Course 8, Mechanical Trades Course 11, Mechanical Drawing, Elementary, 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bryant are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. Mrs. Bryant was before her marriage, Miss Greta Robichaud.

David Beers has recently sold his house of two apartments on Hancock street to Mrs. Elizabeth Gleason of Mexico, who with her granddaughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, will occupy part of the house. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Dixfield have recently moved into one of the apartments.

Mrs. Charles Preble and son, Melton, will soon move to Farmington, where Mr. Preble is teaching in the Farmington Normal School. The Prebles have for the past few years resided in Orono.

Mrs. Preble is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed of Franklin street, this town, and spends the summers usually with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Howard and two children are soon to leave for their home in Panama, where Mr. Howard is located in business, and they will be accompanied by Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Lena Steinfeld of Berlin, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Howard and family are at present the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Schonnauer of Franklin street.

Just Like New York Murderers. Even the weather can kill an innocent fruit crop and get away with it. —Atlanta Constitution.

Out of the suffering comes the serious mind, out of the salvation the grateful heart; out of endurance, fortitude, out of deliverance, faith. —Ruskin.

HAVE A DOUGHNUT. For a small family that enjoys fresh crisp doughnuts a small recipe which makes two dozen cakes will be found most useful.

Drop Doughnuts.—Take one egg, separate, beating the white until stiff. Add

one-half cupful of sugar to the egg white and lightly stir the sugar in a little at a time. Then add the yolk, a grating of lemon peel, one quarter of a teaspoonful of ginger, one-half cupful of milk, a little salt and one and one-half cupfuls of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Mix and drop by teaspoonfuls into hot fat. When cool roll in powdered sugar. With a little practice these doughnuts may be made as round as a ball. The fat must be hot enough to brown a cube of bread in one minute. If not hot enough the doughnuts will flatten and soak fat.

The following is one of the famous Salvation Army recipes for doughnuts which were served daily by the thousand during the war:

Jelly Doughnuts.—Dissolve one yeast cake and one tablespoonful of sugar in one and one-fourth cupfuls of milk scalded and cooled to lukewarm; add one and one-half cupfuls of flour and beat well. Cover and let stand in a warm place until light—about three-quarters of an hour. Add the sponge to three tablespoonfuls of butter, one-half cupful of sugar, one well-beaten egg, one teaspoonful of salt and three more cupfuls of flour. Let rise two hours, roll out to one-third inch in thickness, cut with a cookie cutter. Stretch the dough, add one teaspoonful of jelly, wet the edges and squeeze together. Cover and let rise again for forty-five minutes. Then drop in deep fat and cook two to three minutes on each side.

Doughnut Balls.—Mix together one cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg, two well-beaten eggs. Dissolve one teaspoonful of soda in one cupful of sour milk. Add about three cupfuls of flour and drop by teaspoonfuls in hot fat. This recipe is similar to the drop doughnuts above, but it makes double the amount.

NEED MAXWELL

BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

SCOUTMASTERS NEEDED.

"Fine work!" everybody said when the Pueblo boy scouts rose to the occasion in the emergency of the flood and went about aiding the police, rendering first aid and saving human lives at the risk of their own. "Wonderful movement!" we cry when we read how boy scouts fight forest fires, act as traffic police, conduct city clean-ups, take the lead in safety-first and anti-fur and save-the-wild-flowers campaigns.

Again, when we happen to notice a scout giving his seat to a lady on a car, stopping to tell a stranger how to get to his destination, interrupting his ball game to help somebody fix a tire, jumping into the street to pick up a bit of broken glass or a banana skin, we are impressed by the spirit which somehow or other has been instilled into these lads. Though still just everyday youngsters, they are a little straighter, a little manlier because of the rigorous discipline of the boy scout training, a little more given to service because of the daily "good turn" boy scout gospel. But we should remember that without the scoutmaster's enthusiasm and devotion to the boys none of these results could be realized.

There are 16,035 scoutmasters in the United States serving 100,070 boys. They are busy men, all of them, doctors, lawyers, ministers, school teachers, business men, bankers, editors, electricians, photographers, giving their time, their energy, their best thought and services to scouting. But, despite all this devoted and patriotic work the country over, there are hundreds of boys wishing to get into scouting who cannot do so because there are not enough leaders—that is, scoutmasters.

Let every live, red-blooded, boy-hearted man in America stop and ask himself whether he isn't letting a priceless opportunity pass by him if he isn't lining up with scouting, doing his bit for the boys of America who need his leadership.

BOY SCOUTS IN CAMP.



This is a Typical Scene of the Past Summer in Many Sections of the Country.

BY-PRODUCT OF SEA-SCOUT TRAINING.

Sea scouts are, in addition to their technical water training, learning something that all good Americans prize as worth more than diamonds and gold, namely: Judgment.

Judgment! In a boat, as nowhere else on earth, judgment (or sea judgment) is a prime necessity. Poor judgment bays your schooner boat's nose into the wharf—poor judgment leaves the water barrels empty, or worse, rocks the boat, drops oars overboard, or capsizes. Good judgment comes to a boy or man only after he has tried to beat the sharp-eyed old girl, known as Mother Nature, who has skinned his knuckles, blacked his eye, doused him and spanked him. Her eye is kind on the land, but cut on the water it glitters gray and green, like the eye of a shark. Look out, there landlubber! She'll get you sure—if you don't steer a straight course. But whose afraid?

SCOUTING IN BOYS' SCHOOL.

Scouting adapts itself well to private as well as public life. At Blair academy, in Blairtown, N. J., there were 40 boy scouts this past year, 32 of whom were on the school's honor roll. Seventeen were first class scouts and eight second class. The troop boasted also one Eagle, one Star and one Life scout.

SOME MORE HIGH ADVENTURE.

A small party of scouts of Troop 4, San Jose, Cal., hiked off into the hills with a portable searchlight which had been made by one of the boys. In the meantime another party of scouts motored to the summit of Mount Hamilton, famous as the site of the Lick observatory. Within ten minutes the two parties were signalling each other over a distance of fully 25 miles, no small feat, for amateurs with amateur outfits. The incident was a thrilling one to the boys.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

BETHEL LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 97, meets in Masonic Hall the second Thursday evening of each month. E. P. Lyon, W. M.; Fred B. Merrill, Secretary.

PURITY CHAPTER, No. 102, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall the first Wednesday evening of each month. Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerckhoven, W. M.; Mrs. Pearl Tibbets, Secretary.

MT. ABBAM LODGE, No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Friday evening. Chester A. Cummings, N. G.; C. O. Bryant, Secretary.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE, No. 64, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Monday evenings of each month. Constance Wheeler, N. G.; Anna French, Secretary.

SUDBURY LODGE, K. of P., No. 22, meets in Odd Fellows' Hall each Tuesday evening. Winfield Howe, O. G.; John Harrington, K. of B. and S.

BROWN POST, No. 84, G. A. R., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. A. H. Hutchinson, Commander; I. C. Jordan, Adjutant; L. N. Bartlett, Q. M.

BROWN W. R. C., No. 36, meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursday evening of each month. Emily Forbes, Pres.; Eva Hastings, Secretary.

GEORGE A. MUNDT POST, No. 51, AMERICAN LEGION, meets the first Tuesday of each month in its rooms. R. R. Tibbets, Commander; Howard Tyler, Adjutant.

BETHEL GRANGE, No. 56, meets in their hall the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. A. F. Copeland, M.; Eva Hastings, Secretary.

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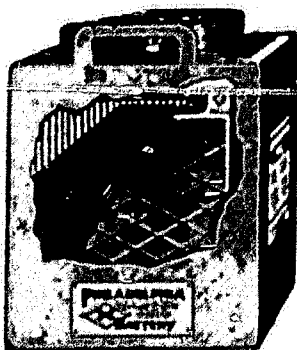
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LEGION IN LOAN BUSINESS

Fargo, N. D. Post Adjutant Works Out Plan for the Benefit of His Buddies.

The first instance in which the American Legion has gone into the trust, savings and loan business is reported from Fargo, N. D.

To encourage thrift and to help the needy, the post, on January 1, 1921, instituted an American Legion Bonus Loan association from plans worked out by Arthur F. Collier, post adjutant. Four hundred of the post's 700 members already have deposited sums from \$5 to \$25 on which five per cent interest is paid. A Legion man wishing to borrow assigns his state compensation claim to the Legion—it will require eight years for North Dakota to pay all service men the bonus awarded them. The borrower may obtain up to 50 per cent of the amount to be awarded him by the state. He pays interest at 8 per cent.

Business is transacted through a Fargo bank. To date more than fifty loans have been made and more than \$20,000 has been paid into the savings fund. A dividend is paid semi-annually to depositors. Immediately upon being granted a loan, the person to whom it is made must open a savings account to insure proper expenditure of the money. Legion posts in many states have written the Fargo post for information upon which to base a similar system.

THINK HE WILL BE GOVERNOR

People of Washington State See Bright Future for Their Soldier Lieutenant-Governor.

"He's just naturally lucky," the people of Washington say of William Jennings Coyne, their lieutenant-governor, who they claim is the youngest man in the world holding that office.

Coyne has been a "natural athlete" since his kindergarten days. For four years he was Gil Doble's quarterback on the famous University of Washington team. He pitched and fielded for the varsity baseball team and he was a star hurdler. Following graduation he was a reading clerk in three sessions of the Washington legislature.

During the war, he claims, his luck held. He was promoted from second lieutenant to captain for bravery, was wounded in the Argonne while serving with the 363d Infantry, and was awarded a Distinguished Service Cross for gallantry. He is 33 years old, the father of two girls and sells farm tractors when not occupied with his official duties as lieutenant-governor. The people of Washington declare he will be lucky enough to be the youngest governor in the United States after next election.

PROBLEMS OF THE NAVY MEN

Conference of Legion Committee to Devise Ways for Benefit of Members of Branch.

Problems of the navy men who are members of the American Legion and policies affecting naval ex-service men generally will be discussed at a conference of the naval affairs committee of the Legion in New York this fall. The meeting has been called by Edward E. Spafford, New York, chairman of the committee, who will inaugurate the date of the conference later.

"The fact that there were eight times as many men in the navy during the war as there were in the army during the war has led to the needs of the navy ex-service men," Mr. Spafford declared in announcing the conference. "Few persons know of the high percentage of tubercular cases developed by men in the submarine and submarine service, for instance."

The members of the committee, besides Mr. Spafford, are: Benjamin H. Hines, Michigan; Philander Hines, Maryland; Claudius O. Penhill, Wisconsin; Fred A. Tillman, California; and C. W. Neville, Jr., Louisiana. The members ranged in rank from lieutenant commander to petty officer.

Legionnaires Respond.

When a post of the American Legion in Jackson, Miss., asked for volunteers to save the life of Walter A. Crawford, overseas veteran, by blood transfusion, 12 legionnaires responded. Crawford, seriously injured in a street car accident, is recovering.

LEGION CHAPLAIN SETS PACE

Iowa Department Official, Elected Sheriff, With Aid of Buddies, Rounds Up Criminals.

When veterans of the World war in Des Moines, Ia., elected Rev. W. E. Robb, chaplain of the Iowa department of the American Legion, to the office of sheriff of Polk county, they disregarded party lines for the good of the community.

The Legion chaplain ran far ahead of his opponent in the race of a landslide. After he assumed his office, Sheriff Robb set a pace that woke up the county. He seized more illicit liquor and bootleggers in the first 60 days of his term than his predecessor obtained in two years. His 21 deputies were almost all members of the American Legion.

Then he turned his attention to an alleged graft ring composed of Des Moines police officials. He caused the demolition of the chief of police, his assistant and the chief of detectives. Chaplain Robb was a theological student at Drake university in Des Moines when war was declared. In some manner he succeeded in obtaining a commission as a chaplain in the army before he was ordained and went overseas with the One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Infantry. He served 18 months in France, was decorated with a D. S. C. for bravery under fire and was idolized by the doughboys of his regiment.

Upon his return he wrote and published "The Price of Our Heritage," a book depicting the prominent part in the World war taken by men of Iowa.

MANY NURSES BEING SOUGHT

Three Hundred Graduates Are Needed to Serve in New Hospitals for Veterans.

A nation-wide canvass to obtain three hundred graduate nurses to care for sick and wounded veterans of the World war is being made by Mrs. Mary A. Hickey, assistant superintendent of nurses, U. S. public health service, and a member of Springfield (Mass.) post of the American Legion.

"We are ready to open up two new hospitals for our wounded and disabled men at Chelsea, Mass., and Oufport, Mass., as soon as we can recruit 300 nurses to take care of the boys," said Mrs. Hickey.

The record of Mrs. Hickey in the World war includes service as nurse with both the French and American armies. She was a member of Base Hospital unit No. 87 at Toul and later served as chief nurse at Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Hickey can be reached at the Polytechnic hospital, 345 West Fifthth street, New York city, and will give full information upon request. Application blanks, however, for this service may be obtained from the chief nurse, Polytechnic hospital, or direct from the surgeon general, U. S. public health service, Washington, D. C.

FOLLOWED YANKS BACK HOME

Member of London Rifle Brigade Likes American Boys and is Anxious to Be Citizen.

Tommy Atkins and the doughboy might have held different views when London entertained a portion of the American Expeditionary Force, and there are few cases where Tommy followed the Yanks back home.

Bladen Grindle of the London Rifle Brigade did, however. The American saw two men, one holding a dark lantern, its rays focused down upon the open satchel. "One of our kind," spoke one of the men.

"Say," broke in the other vehemently, "I know who those tools belong to—Dark Derry. He's here, or coming here, and it's his job."

"What about the booty downstairs?" "Hands off—I won't interfere with a king pal."

The two men left the room. A minute later Sidney saw them make off across the lawn. He went downstairs and found a satchel on the floor. A safe stood open, and spread out on a green cloth beside it was jewelry, money, bonds.

"Another ten minutes and I would have choked to death," declared the magnate when released, after Sidney had explained matters. "If they had come back for that plunder I would have been \$20,000 the loser. You're a bright fellow, Ware."

Smiled His Way to Success

By HAROLD SINCLAIRE.

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Sidney Ware started out in the business world with one sole asset. It was a smile. It was true that he possessed a pair of especially bright, merry eyes to abet the effects of a laughing remark or a cheerful greeting, and the general expression of his face was frank and friendly.

Sidney smiled his way through the shipping room of the big mercantile house of Angell & Co., and left its foreman disconsolate when there came an office promotion. Inside of a week he had even the icy, stately chief stenographer in a tolerant mood, and the typewriters were all in love with him.

Two years later some one had to fill the place of an old veteran who had visited country trade. Within two months Mr. Angell came to Sidney, who had secured that position.

"See here, Ware," he observed, "facts are facts, and you have doubled the transient trade. How do you do it?"

Sidney smiled in a modest deprecating way, and tried to sidetrack the burden of compliment by telling a clean humorous story that set the usually majestic millionaire shaking with laughter.

"You are too good a man for a second-grade position," decided Mr. Angell. "Report for a managerial place tomorrow, Ware."

"It makes me sick!" observed Claude Grindle, head salesman, a twelvemonth later—"that eternal grin of young Ware. Why, I say—it's undignified. It isn't business; it's—"

"It's caught Miss Della Angell just as it has the whole of us," chirped winsome Nettie Grindle, typewriter, who overheard Grindle. "Sidney is everybody's friend and tries to be, and you're 'Old Glooms,' and that's why Miss Angell joined the golf club just to meet a genuine smiling young man once in a while."

"Oh, she did, eh?" snarled the jealous rival. "Well, I'll bet old Angell doesn't know it."

Sidney never knew how much Della was to him until she went away to visit some friends at quite a distance. He kept on smiling, but there was a vague longing in his heart that took some of the rare glitter from perfect contentment. In a business way everything was going more than well with this fortunate young man. Mr. Angell had come to him one morning, as he sat in his office, with a bulky envelope in his hand.

"See here, Ware," he said, "I've just received a new audit of the books for the year and some system suggestions and costs averages from our auditor. I want to go over them quietly and leisurely at home. Come up to the house to dinner at six—no formality, mind you."

Sidney was immensely pleased at the invitation. While on his way at 5:30 that evening a man rushed past him as he stood waiting for a long freight train to pass. He carried a satchel and was constantly glancing apprehensively behind him. Suddenly, as if fear-inspired, the stranger ran to the moving train and swung up the iron ladder of a freight car.

In getting a safe hold the satchel slipped from his grasp. The man made a movement as if to descend after it. Then a glance around seemed to impel him to the other alternative. A policeman flitted into view, disappeared, and Sidney, after waiting for a minute or two, picked up the satchel.

He placed the satchel unobtrusively in a corner of the reception hall as he was shown into the house by a servant. Then it dropped entirely from his mind. A fine meal and the most genial guest possible put Mr. Angell in his brightest mood.

When Sidney was shown up to his room, to his surprise he found the troublesome satchel on a chair. The servant evidently had supposed it to be an adjunct of his all-night visit.

"I wonder what's in it?" mused Sidney. "Is it locked? No, I declare!" He stared hard at the satchel came open.

"A burglar's kit!" burst forth Sidney.

WEST PARIS

Roland Benson is ill with scarlet fever at the home of Alfred Perham. He has a trained nurse, Miss Margaret Steeves, of Lewiston.

H. R. Tuell came near being seriously injured Friday evening when a Finn who evidently lost his head drove on the wrong side of the road and Mr. Tuell only saved his life by running his horse onto the sidewalk and screaming for his life. The hub of one wheel was torn off.

The Young People's Christian Union entertained the Christian Endeavor Friday evening. Ice cream was served and a good time enjoyed.

Dr. Wheeler accompanied a patient to the hospital Tuesday.

News was received here Saturday of the death of Mrs. Samira B. Dunham at Bristol, N. H., formerly of Norway. Mrs. Dunham lived for some time in the family of Edwin J. Mann and had many friends here in West Paris.

The Young People's Christian Union held a social at Good Will Hall Friday evening.

"Gyp, the Heiress" will be presented Nov. 1 for the benefit of the Federated church.

S. T. White attended the Topsham fair.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith with relatives, who were guests, took a trip around the White Mountains Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Cynthia H. Curtis is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bates, F. P. McKenney and Miss Mabel Ricker recently enjoyed a trip to Aziscoos Dam by the way of Berlin, returning by Sereu Auger Falls. They went with Lauri Immonen in his auto.

F. H. Hill has resumed work in his barber shop after several months' vacation on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Packard motored to Baldwin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Devine spent Wednesday and Thursday in Portland.

Mrs. Foss is working for Mrs. S. J. Caldwell, who is ill.

Mrs. Lottie Curtis was in Lewiston several days last week with her brother, W. H. Lurvey of Buckfield, who underwent an operation at the Central Maine General Hospital.

The ladies of the Federated church are arranging for their annual dinner, supper and sale Oct. 27.

Mrs. Martha Dunham is visiting relatives at Portland.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Rose Perkins of North Rumford is helping care for Mrs. Mary Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tobberts entertained about twenty friends Tuesday evening to announce the engagement of Marjorie Farwell and Chester Cummings. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and iced tea was served.

NEWBY

Miss Alma Whitman went to South Paris last Friday.

Elmer Bailey is cutting timber and Harlan Bartlett is at work for him.

The remains of Daniel Hathorne were brought to this place for burial the first of the week. It will be remembered his wife was a daughter of C. H. L. Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson were at F. I. French's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Powers were at Rumford last Friday.

BEFORE THE SHOWER

A hush in the air! The leaves, astir And trembling gently but a moment hence,

Are quiet now. Each hemlock, pine, and fir

Is outlined black against the dark'ning sky

That bodes a coming shower.

The robin's notes ring out now loud and clear

Than ever in the stillness all about.

The cattle low, and shelter seek in fear

Of distant thunder, now heard rumbling low,

The shower's almost here.

The grass begins to wave, the leaves to stir.

The birds fly here and there with startle chirps,

The mountains seem but as a grayish blur,

For distant rain, and now a few large drops

Tell that the shower's on!

Nellie Shirley Russell

RECRUITING FOR ARMY

Recruiting for the Army has been resumed. The War Department announces that recruits, ex-service men preferred are now needed to fill existing vacancies in order to keep the Army filled up to the authorized strength of 150,000 men.

For the present, enlistments are open in the Coast Defenses of Portland, Fort Williams, Maine, to fill vacancies in the Coast Artillery Corps and also for 11 musicians to fill vacancies in the 2nd Band, Coast Artillery Corps, one of the crack musical organizations of the artillery arm of service. Men with some experience in or knowledge of music are desired for the band. Performers on the following instruments are especially needed at ones: flute, cornet, clarinet, alto, bass, baritone, saxophone and snare drum. This is an excellent opportunity for young men to develop in to qualified musicians.

Enlistments are open to a high type of men only, between the ages of 18 and 35, who have sufficient education and give promise of making good soldiers and fulfill all other requirements. Applicants must be sound physically, of good moral character, eyesight normal, or nearly so, teeth good, weight not less than 120 pounds, height not less than 64 inches. Enlistments are for 3 years; pay to begin with is \$30.00 per month and everything provided.

The enlistments of men under 18 years of age, illiterates and men who are unable to read, write and speak English is prohibited. No applicant can be enlisted who is not a citizen of the United States unless he has made legal declaration of his intention to become a citizen, (procurement of his first papers of citizenship.) Applicants desiring to enlist must apply in person to the Coast Defense Recruiting Office, Fort Williams, Maine, and defray their own expenses while traveling to the enlistment station.

Save missing a paper by renewing early.

Better health

Your own doctor will tell you that poor health often starts with an upset of stomach and liver. You know the prevailing symptoms and the very first thing to do is to relieve the bowels—not by swallowing a convenient bit of physic but by taking a thoroughly good and scientifically prepared blood purifier. The standard remedy for years is that pure "L. F. Atwood" Medicine, endorsed by thousands of Maine people, many of whom you know. It has helped them; it surely will benefit you.

Sixty doses in a 50 cent bottle. Ask your dealer, or send for a free sample to the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

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should be treated with Petro-Tan for quick healing. Removes soreness and swelling. Economical to use. Gets results where other treatments have failed. Also for sore teeth, boils, chafes, cuts, etc. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by druggists or send direct to the manufacturer, Dr. C. M. Merrill, South Paris, Maine.



Prince Albert's a new note in the joys of rolling 'em!

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You've got a handful of happiness coming your direction when you pal it with P. A. and the makin's papers! For Prince Albert is not only delightful to your taste and pleasing in its refreshing aroma, but our exclusive patented process frees it from bite and parch!

And, for a fact, rolling up Prince Albert is mighty easy! P. A. is crimp cut and stays put and you whisk it into shape before you can count three! And, the next instant you're puffing away to beat the band!

Prince Albert is so good that it has led four men to smoke jimmy pipes where one was smoked before! It's the greatest old buddy-smoke that ever found its way into a pipe or cigarette!

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The Army has been re-Department announces service men preferred to fill existing vacancies in the 2nd Infantry Corps and also for vacancies in the 2nd Infantry Corps, one of the organizations of the service. Men with some knowledge of music or the band. Performers instruments are especially: flute, cornet, clarinet, saxophone and piano. This is an excellent opportunity for men to develop in musicians.

are open to a high type of education. Men of sufficient education of making good soldiers. All other requirements of character, eyesight, nose, teeth good, weight, 20 pounds, height 5 feet 6 inches. Enlistments are to begin with is \$30.00 everything provided. Men of men under 18 literates and men who read, write and speak English. No applicant can be not a citizen of the United States. Men who have made legal intention to become a citizen of his first parent. Applicants must apply in person to the Maine Recruiting Office, Bangor, and defray the traveling to the office.

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The Wreckers

By FRANCIS LYNDE

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SYNOPSIS.

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"To G. Norcross, G. M.,
"Portals City.
"Just returned from trip to Seattle.
What's doing on the Short Line?"

"A couple of telegrams, Jimmie," said the chief, as he passed this last wire over, and I got my note-book ready.

"To B. Dunton, New York. Strike is sympathetic and not subject to compromise. Malls moving regularly, but all other traffic suspended indefinitely. My office closes today, and my resignation, effective at once, goes to you on Fast Mail tonight."

"Now one to Mr. Chadwick, and you may send it in code," he directed crisply. Then he dictated:

"See newspapers for account strike. Hatch and eight of his associates were killed last night in railroad wreck. Dunton has demanded my resignation and I have given it. Have plan for complete reorganization along lines discussed in beginning, and need your help. At market opening to-morrow sell P. S. L. large blocks and repurchase in dribbles as price goes down. Repeat until I tell you to stop. Wire quick if you are with us."

Just as I was taking the last sentence, Mr. Ripley and Billoughby came in, and Mr. Norcross took them both into the third room of the suite and shut the door. An hour later when the door opened and they came out, the boss was summing up the new orders to Billoughby: "There's a lot to do, and you have my authority to hire all the help you need. See the bankers yourself, personally, and get them to interest other local buyers along the line, the more of them, and the smaller they are, the better. I'll take care of Portals City, myself. I've had Van Britton on the wire and he is taking care of the employees—yes, that's as it is, and is a part of the original plan; every man who works for P. S. L. is going to own a bit of stock, if we have to carry him for it and let him pay a dollar a week. More than that, they shall have representation on the board if they want it. And while you're knocking about, take time to show these C. S. & W. folks how they can climb back into the saddle. Red Tower is down and out, now, and they can keep it out if they want to."

I suppose I might rattle this old type-machine of mine indefinitely and tell the story of the financial fight that filled the next few days; of how the boss and Mr. Ripley and Billoughby got the bankers and practically everybody together all along the Short Line and springing the big plan upon them, which was nothing less than the snapping up, on a tumbling stock market, of the opportunity now presented to them of owning—actually owning in fee simple—their own railroad, the buying to be done quietly through Mr. Chadwick's brokers in Chicago and New York.

There was some opposition and jangling and see-sawing back and forth, of course, but the newspapers, led by the Mountaineer, took hold, and then, pretty soon, everybody took hold; after which the only trouble was to keep people—our own rank and file among them—from buying P. S. L. Common so fast that the New Yorkers would catch on and run the price up.

"They didn't catch on—not until after it was too late; and the minute Mr. Chadwick wired us from Chicago that we were safe, the strike went off, as you might say, between two minutes, and Mr. Norcross called a meeting of stockholders, the same to be held—bless your heart!—in Portals City, the thriving metropolis of the region in which, counting Mr. Chadwick in as one of us, a good, solid voting majority of the stock was now held. The Mountaineer printed the call, and it spoke of the railroad as "our railroad company!"

The meeting was held in due time, and Mr. Chadwick was there to preside. He made a crackling good chairman, and the way he dilated on the fact that now the country—and the employees—had a railroad of their own, and that the whole nation would be looking to see how we would demonstrate the problem we had taken over, actually brought cheers—think of it! cheers in a railroad stockholders' meeting!

Following Mr. Chadwick's talk there was the usual routine business; reports were read and it was shown that the Short Line, notwithstanding all the stealings and mismanagements, was still a good going proposition at a price at which it had been bought in. A new board of directors was chosen, and as soon as the new board got together, Mr. Norcross went back to his office in the headquarters, not as general manager, this time—not on your life!—but as the newly elected president of Pioneer Short Line.

Mr. Norcross, the first official circular that came out—a copy of which I sent, tied up with a blue ribbon, to Malate Ann—read like this:

"To all Employees:
"Effective this day, Mr. James F. Dods is appointed assistant to the president with headquarters in Portals City.

"G. Norcross, President."
That's all; all but a little talk between the boss and Mr. Upton Van Britton that took place in our office on the day after Mr. Van Britton, still kicking about the hard work that the boss was always piling upon him, had been appointed general manager.

"You've made the rifle, Graham—just as I said you would," said our own and only millionaire, after he had got through abusing the rates that wouldn't let him go back and play with his coupon shears and his yacht and polo games. "You're going to

be the biggest man this side of the mountains, some day; and the day isn't so very far off, either."

It was just here that the boss got out of his chair and walked to the other end of the room. When he came back it was to say:

"You think I have won out, Upton, and so does everybody else. I suppose it looks that way to the man in the street. But I haven't, you know. I have lost the one thing for which I would gladly give all the business success I have ever made or hope to make."

Mr. Van Britton's smile was more than half a grin.

"It isn't lost, Graham; it's only gone before. Can't you wait a decent little while?"

"If I should wait all my life it wouldn't be long enough, Upton," was the reply. "What you said to me—that time when we first spoke of Collingwood—was true. You said she loved the other man—and so she did."

This time Mr. Van Britton's smile was a whole grin.

"I said it, and I'll say it again. She didn't realize it or admit it, even to herself, you know; she's too good and clean-hearted for anything like that. But I could see it plainly enough, and so could everybody else except the two people most nearly concerned. I didn't mean Howie Collingwood; you were the other man," Graham.

At this the boss whirled short around and tramped to the other end of the room again, standing for quite a little while with one foot on the low window-sill and making out like he was looking down at the traffic clattering along in Nevada avenue. But I'll bet a quarter he never saw a single wheel of it. When he came back our way his eyes were shining and he put his hand on Mr. Van Britton's shoulder.

"It ought to have been you, Uppy," he said, dropping back to the old college nickname. "You're by long odds the better man. When—when do you think I might venture to take a little run across to New York?"

At that, Mr. Van Britton laughed out loud.

"To! ho!" he said. "I suppose I ought to say a year. You can wait one little year, can't you, Graham?"

"Not on your life!" rasped the boss. And then: "I'll tell you what I'll do; I'll compromise with the proprietors, or whatever it is that you're insisting on, and make it six months. But that's the limit—no absolute limit!"

And so it was.

(THE END.)

The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE

II.—PENNSYLVANIA

THE second state to adopt the Constitution was Pennsylvania.

Its area of 45,120 square miles is larger than the combined New England states, except Maine, with New Jersey thrown in for good measure. Its name means "Penn's Woodland" and was named by King Charles II, who granted this territory to the Quaker, William Penn, and named it in commemoration of Penn's father, who had been a distinguished admiral and on terms of peculiar friendship and intimacy with the royal family. This grant was made in lieu of £10,000, which the king owed Admiral Penn. On this basis it originally cost about \$2 a square mile.

Pennsylvania has assumed such an important place among the states that it is often called the Keystone state. This term was probably derived originally because her name was carved on the keystone of the bridge over Rock creek, between Washington and Georgetown. Later on it was applied on account of the great importance of the state in national elections. Its delegation to congress totals 38, second only in size to that from New York, and Pennsylvania accordingly has 33 presidential electors.

William Penn first came over to America in 1682. The following year he laid out the city of Philadelphia, or "Brotherly Love," which was named after a biblical city in Asia Minor. As Pennsylvania was the only colony without a seacoast, Penn obtained from the duke of York the control of Delaware, and until the Revolution these two provinces were under the same proprietary government. Quarrels with Maryland over boundaries caused a formal survey to be made by two surveyors, Mason and Dixon, and it was this which became famous during the Civil War as the Mason and Dixon line, the dividing mark between the slave and the free states.

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Salmon-Canning Industry Vigorous.

Since the Columbia river salmon-canning industry was started by pioneer fishermen in 1870 a total of \$180,000,000 worth of salmon has been taken from the 90,000 acres of fishing territory in the river from Cascade locks to its mouth.

850 DISASTER DEATH TOLL FOR ONE YEAR

Red Cross Gives \$1,871,000 Relief When 65,000 Families Are Made Homeless.

Forty-three disasters, resulting in the death in the United States of 850 persons and the injury of 2,500 called for emergency relief measures and the expenditure of \$1,871,000 by the American Red Cross during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, says an announcement based upon the forthcoming annual report of the Red Cross. These disasters caused property damage estimated at \$30,000,000, affected sixty-seven communities and rendered 65,000 families homeless.

The year's disasters were of varying types, including several which previously had never been thought of as falling within that classification. The Red Cross furnished relief in seventeen areas of magnitude, five floods, seven tornadoes or cyclones, one devastating storm, three typhoid epidemics, the most serious being that at Salem, Ohio, which affected 9 per cent of the population; one smallpox epidemic, in the republic of Haiti; one train wreck, the race riot at Tulsa, Okla.; the famine in China, emergency relief in famine among the Indians of Alaska, the grasshopper plague in North Dakota and an earthquake in Italy.

By far the most severe of the disasters in the United States during the period covered by the Red Cross report was the Pueblo flood early in June, 1921. The rehabilitation problem confronting the Red Cross in Pueblo was one of the most difficult of the horror was flashed throughout the country, the American Red Cross National Headquarters responded with a grant of \$105,000 for relief work. Governor Shoup of Colorado, appreciating the long and successful experience of the Red Cross in organizing disaster relief work, placed the entire responsibility for the administration of relief in its hands.

In response to appeals from President Harding, Governor Shoup and other governors of western states and through local chapters of the Red Cross and other community organizations, public-spirited citizens brought the total contributed for Pueblo's rehabilitation to more than \$325,000.

The terrible havoc wrought by the flood waters is a matter of record. More than 2,300 homes were affected and 7,351 persons were left homeless. Estimates of \$500,000 as an absolute minimum for rehabilitation were made by Red Cross officials in charge of the relief work.

Fast Work in Wall Street

The Wall Street explosion was notable in that relief workers of the Red Cross were on the scene twenty minutes after the disaster occurred. The race riot at Tulsa also was unique in disaster relief annals in that outside of a small emergency relief fund contributed by the Red Cross, the only relief measures outside the city consisted of the service of social workers, nurses and a trained executive whose object was to assist local forces in directing their own efforts.

In decided contrast with the previous year, only one tornado assumed the proportions of a major disaster. This occurred on April 15, in the border sections of Texas and Arkansas with the city of Texarkana as the center. The significant feature of this disaster relief work was the fact that it covered so much rural territory as to make necessary a large number of relief workers.

The famine in China, necessitating relief expenditures totalling more than \$1,000,000 by the American Red Cross was by far the most serious of the foreign disasters in which the Red Cross gave aid.

Builds Up Its Machinery

In connection with the administration of disaster relief measures, an increasing effectiveness on the part of the Red Cross to deal with emergency was manifested during the past year. In 1920 chapters of the American Red Cross there have been formed special committees to survey the resources of their respective communities and to be prepared in case of disaster. In others of the 3,402 active chapters, a network of communication has been formed through which instantaneous relief may be dispatched to any part of the United States.

That its work in this field may be continued with ever greater effectiveness, the American Red Cross is appealing for widespread renewal of membership during its Annual Roll Call, to be conducted this year from November 11 to 21.

LIFE SAVING CORPS ENROLLMENT 10,000

Growth of Red Cross Life Saving Corps throughout the country continued unabated during the last fiscal year, a summary of the year's achievements by that Red Cross Service shows. There are now 100 Corps with a total membership of more than 10,000 members, of which 1,270 are sufficiently skilled in the work to act as examiners. Among the outstanding achievements of the Red Cross in this field during the last year was the organization at the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, of what is perhaps the largest life saving corps in the world.

BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

McADOO FIRST CLASS SCOUT

Scout lore as practiced at the 18 camps of Kanawhake lake in the Interstate Park, was the subject of an earnest study made one day in August by Hon. William G. McAdoo and Mrs. McAdoo and a distinguished company of guests who visited the camp at the invitation of Franklin D. Roosevelt, chairman of the Greater New York Scout Council. Other members of the council who extended the invitation were James G. Blaine, Jr., William S. Kies, Samuel M. Greer and Barron Collier.

Almost the only scout feat that Mr. McAdoo failed to test was being rescued from drowning and resuscitated. That he was content to watch. All the rest that was going on he entered into. He whanged a baseball for the benefit of Brooklyn scouts, not to mention the movie men who busily clicked their cameras. He was bound up by a scout skilled in administering first



McAdoo Receiving First Aid for Injury in Boy Scout Camp.

aid to the wounded. He and Mrs. McAdoo received instruction in the art of tying various knots, and finally he was the recipient of a walking stick made from hop hornbeam taken from the branch of a tree off the lake and carved by J. A. Brunner, chairman of the camp committee of Central Union Council of New Jersey. The cane was carved with the emblem of a first class scout surrounded by an American eagle, and was presented to Mr. McAdoo on behalf of all the camps at Kanawhake lake. In accepting the gift Mr. McAdoo remarked that he hoped it did not imply that he had reached such advanced years that he was compelled to lean upon a staff. He wanted the boys to understand, he said, that he never intended to grow as old as that, but if he did that would be the staff upon which he would choose to lean.

The visit constituted a full dress inspection of the Lake Kanawhake camps, at which there are for nine weeks in the summer as many as 2,300 boys. There could be twice as many, Mr. McAdoo was informed by Barron Collier, who did the honors of the camp, if the resources of the organization permitted. The boys camp for not less than two weeks and in the course of the summer the total attendance of the camp is in excess of 18,000. The visiting party was invited by Franklin D. Roosevelt and other members of the Greater New York Scout Council on account of the deep interest which is being shown by numerous prominent business men of New York in the scout organization.

SCOUTS REPAIR CITY SIDEWALKS

There is only one scout troop in Lind, Wash., but that one is up and doing as is proved by a recent example of thrift and enterprise. It seems the scouts noticed that the wooden sidewalks of the city were badly in need of repair. Consequently they marched up to the mayor and offered to do the job at a nominal figure. The mayor liked the idea. He also liked the spirit of the boys and took up the offer, arranging that the work should be

RED CROSS WORKING FOR HEALTHIER U. S.

Thousands Aided by Instruction in Care of the Sick, Food Selection and First Aid.

How the American Red Cross guides thousands of persons to health is shown in a summary of the society's activities in the health field based upon the annual report for the last fiscal year. Through its Nursing Service, its Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick courses, nutrition classes, First Aid classes, life-saving classes and Health Centers and in numerous other ways designed to acquaint masses of citizens with proper methods of living, the Red Cross carried its message of health into all parts of the country.

The work of the Red Cross during the war in its traditional field of nursing, furnishing the military and naval establishments of the nation with 877 nurses, is well known. And there are today 37,787 nurses registered with the American Red Cross and subject to call in emergency. During the fiscal year, 1,551 Red Cross nurses were accepted for assignment to Government service, 388 by the Army and Navy and 1,163 by the United States Public Health Service.

In addition to the nurses enrolled by the Red Cross for Government service, the Red Cross itself employed a total of 1,848 public health nurses in the United States and Europe. By far the greatest number was employed in the United States, 1,207, while 641 were in foreign service.

Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick classes, giving thorough instruction in the proper care of the sick in instances where the illness is not so serious as to require professional nursing care, during the fiscal year numbered 5,170. A statistical picture of the Red Cross operations in this field follows:

New classes formed during year	5,170
Classes completed during year	6,299
New students enrolled	101,063
Students completing course	73,432
What the Red Cross accomplished in giving proper instruction through its Nutrition Service is indicated by the following table:	
New classes formed during year	142
Classes completed during year	184
New students enrolled	2,341
Students completing course	2,013

In addition to the above, a total of 22,000 children were given instruction in the proper selection and preparation of foods.

Through its 200 Health Centers, the Red Cross reached 90,252 persons. In these Health Centers, 4,015 health lectures were given and 780 health exhibits held.

In the United States last year, 75,432 persons were killed and 3,500,000 injured in industrial accidents. To prevent this enormous waste the Red Cross held 5,100 first aid classes with a total of 104,000 students enrolled.

RED CROSS RESCUED 600,000 FROM DEATH

Spent \$1,200,000 for Relief of Famine Sufferers in China Last Year.

To help overcome conditions of acute distress in five famine stricken provinces of Northern China, where millions of persons were affected by an unprecedented shortage of food, the American Red Cross during the last fiscal year spent more than \$1,200,000, \$1,000,000 of which was contributed directly by National Headquarters and the remainder by various groups interested in the welfare of China.

Through the wide relief operations thus made possible it is estimated that more than 600,000 famine sufferers were saved from starvation.

To the end that similar prompt relief measures by the organization may always be possible the Red Cross is asking continued support by the American people by universal renewal of membership at the Annual Red Cross Roll Call, November 11 to 21.

This method of relief employed by the American Red Cross in its operations in China was particularly effective, for in addition to providing hundreds of thousands of lives it provided China with more than 600 miles of permanent roads that are sorely needed to prevent a recurrence of famine. At one time the Red Cross employed 74,000 Chinese workmen, paying them in food for themselves and dependents, this food being brought in from Manchuria and elsewhere.

ONE DOLLAR ANNUAL DUES IN THE AMERICAN RED CROSS MAKES YOU A PARTICIPANT IN RELIEF WORK FOR THE HELPLESS THAT GIRDLES THE GLOBE. ANSWER THE ANNUAL RED CROSS ROLL CALL NOVEMBER 11-24, 1921.

J. E. JONES LETTER

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The Administration promised a tariff bill last Spring, and it will be a difficult job to get it through Congress before next Spring. The new tax bill might be recognized if referred to as the "tacks" bill, since it is punctured so often. The bumpy Senators of the "agricultural bloc" had Senators Penrose and Lodge, the Administration champions, thoroughly whipped on the tax bill as Fall descended upon the Capitol. The astute old leaders knew exactly what had happened to them, and they took their medicine, and as they made peace they smiled.

The "agricultural bloc" of bumpy Senators worked so smoothly that imitations appeared, and there was talk about a "manufacturers bloc," and other "blobs." But with peace restored in the ranks of the agricultural groups there is evidence that the balkiness that has been holding up the tax measure will disappear; and there are prospects of the tax bill making headway from now on. Bumpy Senators, like bumpy horses, usually travel satisfactorily when they are having their own way.

WHEN PERSHING SAID, "LET'S GO!"

General Pershing has been in Europe for several weeks on a mission of courtesy to the foreign governments with whom we were associated during the war. His purpose in going abroad was to place the Congressional Medal of Honor on the graves of the unknown French and British soldiers. In France he was received with great acclaim. The British had apparently not heard of General Pershing's mission, though they were notified last August. So General Pershing waited patiently in France as long as he thought he should, and then decided that it was time to return to the United States. He cut out the trip to England, and told his party: "Let's go." Then England got excited, and offered a number of reasons why no provision had been made for the ceremony incident to General Pershing's trip. The delayed invitation was sent to General Pershing in great haste. In consequence the American General went to England to carry out his errand.

PROBLEM OF THE PACIFIC

President Harding says that it is "hard to imagine justifications" for conflict among the peoples of the opposite shores of the Pacific ocean, which might reasonably be interpreted that there is no call for a fight between the United States and Japan. President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes are working to create a world sympathy for the objects of the coming armament conference, and the President has issued a warning against propaganda that will misrepresent the true meaning of the big event. In President Wilson's time the latter used the expression that "it is necessary to concert public opinion," and that is evidently what the present administration is attempting to do, even though they speak of the effort in a different manner. President Wilson had a war to justify his methods of "concerting" public opinion, and some of the stuff that was "concerted" by Messrs. "Crest and Co." was said to be of the "poison gas variety of literature." Evidently a repetition of some of this class of misleading information is feared at this time, as the public is being warned against the "pickpockets of publicity," whom it is expected will work in the interests of some of the foreign governments at the conference. The United States Administration emphasizes its high purpose in inviting the nations to Washington for a conference, and it is the unanimous belief in the Capital that if the visitors come here with clean hands and purposes that a way can be found for curtailing the world production of armaments, and this production is looked upon as the chief instigation leading to wars.

LAWLESSNESS IN CITIES

The wheels of justice in all of the big cities are choked with criminal cases, and Washington, D. C., where most of the laws are made, is said to be the most lawless city in the United States. Bootleggers are doing so much business in the Capital that the local courts are crowded with cases growing out of the illegal sale of liquor, and consequent disorders. The robbery of Joseph Leiter's private home of \$230,000 worth of wines and liquors, and the holding of a man and his wife on one of the principal streets in the early evening, were events of the wave of crime at about the same time recently.



SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

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a certain day of May in the year 1920 the defendants agreed to purchase 300 cases of prunes, but when the time of delivering came denied making a contract, and shipped the prunes back to Boston, where they were resold on a falling market. The damage claimed by plaintiffs is for the difference in price received by reselling, plus freight and cartage, amounting to \$299.78.

Now the manner of doing business by the Pools Company is to send out salesmen who make the sales, returning the same to the home office where a contract is drawn up in duplicate, sent to purchaser, who signs it, returning one to Boston and keeping the other himself.

This was the procedure in this case; but Mr. Gauthier, who is not an educated man, in the absence of his book-keeper signed an accompanying letter to which the contract was attached, but did not sign the contract. The plaintiffs supposed that this signature was meant to be affixed to the contract and sent the goods only to be returned. The defendant says his order was provisional and only became effective when the contract was signed. The plaintiffs think his action was brought about by the decline in prices on prunes; so the jury had to consider the delicate question as to how much of the evidence was truth and how much falsehood.

There was but a single witness put on by either side—a Mr. Thornton for the plaintiff and Arthur Gauthier for the defendant.

The verdict was for the plaintiff in the sum sued for, \$299.78.

Tuesday forenoon was naturalization session. Nine aliens were made United States citizens as follows: Edward Warren, Rumford. George W. Smith, Norway. James Westleigh, Mason. John Westleigh, Mason. Robert Enman, Norway. Harry L. Kilbourn, Rumford. William Shand, Rumford. Thomas McMaster, Mexico. Frank Pye, Rumford.

All of these men abjured the allegiance of King George of England, and all were born in Canada with the exception of McMaster, who was born in Scotland.

Judge Dunn was very thorough in his questionings, making sure the candidates for citizenship had a fair understanding of our form of government, were persons of good character and possessed a fair education. Of one of the candidates who appeared as well as any, he asked the rather unusual question:

"How many soldiers did King George the Third send over to America to put down the Revolution?"

The candidate hesitated. "Oh, well," continued the judge, "that is not a fair question. If any one should ask it of me I could not answer. But I asked it once of a candidate and received the brightest reply of my life, so bright a reply that I thought it would be United States' loss if the man was not admitted to citizenship. His answer was 'I don't know; but he sent over a damn sight more than went home!'"

One candidate, Matti Kumpulainen, was denied citizenship papers because of his inability to read English. The judge in his refusal was very kind. "His examination," he said, "was satisfactory except for this lack of education which he hoped, seeing he was yet young, he would make good before some other judge."

At the afternoon session one other candidate appeared for naturalization, Joseph Rosa by name of Rumford. Naturalization was denied as the examination was unsatisfactory. During this examination Judge Dunn inquired whether the candidate believed in polygamy. The candidate not understanding, the judge explained it was having more than one wife at the same time. The candidate made answer that one wife was a plenty.

On Wednesday afternoon the special assigned case of Daniel H. Tripp vs. The Inhabitants of Portor was put before the jury. William B. Randall and Alton C. Wheeler appeared for Tripp with Walter P. Perkins and Fred R. Dyer for the town of Portor. This was a claim against the town for damages from injuries received by the plaintiff by reason of an alleged dangerous piece of road. After the case was presented it was non-suited.

After the Portor case the twin cases of Charles B. Andrews vs. Andrew A. Jenkins and Mary B. Andrews vs. Andrew A. Jenkins were placed on trial, with Alton C. Wheeler appearing for the plaintiffs and Walter L. Gray and Fred R. Dyer for the defendant in both suits.

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in advance of his wife. When Mr. Andrews was nearing the Park Street bridge in South Paris, he met Mr. Jenkins with a load of apple barrels piled on to a Ford touring car. They were piled all over the car so that the driver had but a limited vision of the road according to Mr. Andrews. About a mile farther back on the road Mrs. Andrews met this load of barrels driven by Mr. Jenkins. Mrs. Andrews' horse showed signs of fright at this strange load, and she signaled to the auto driver to stop, but he did not do so. She got out of the wagon and took the horse by the head. Between the antics of the horse and the catching of the barrels in her dress, according to her story, she was thrown down and one leg broken. It was a bad fracture so she was obliged to go around on crutches for some ten months, when she went to a hospital in Portland for an operation. The injury promises to be permanent, and her suit is for damages from injuries which she signaled to the auto driver to stop, is for expenses paid on account of his wife, which are fixed at \$1000.

The chief difference in the stories of the plaintiff and defendant is that Mr. Jenkins claims that he stopped his loaded Ford when he saw that Mrs. Andrews' horse was showing signs of fright, and when the animal cooled down started on, and did not know of the accident. And this statement was corroborated by Mrs. Daniels, a passenger with Mrs. Andrews.

The judge and jury visited the scene of the accident Thursday morning, and Mr. Jenkins had his auto at the court house with a load of barrels as a demonstration.

The verdict in the case of Charles B. Andrews vs. Andrew A. Jenkins was for the plaintiff in the sum of \$1; in the case of Mary A. Andrews vs. Andrew A. Jenkins was for the plaintiff in the sum of \$400.

At the close of the Andrews-Jenkins cases Thursday afternoon, was put on an action for assumpsit by Mrs. Lottie Kimball vs. Richard Ford, in which Messrs. Belliveau and Stearns appeared for the plaintiff and Messrs. Hutchins and Parker appeared for the defendant. The story as told by the plaintiff had a very human element in it. It seems Mrs. Kimball, who is a widow with three children, became acquainted with the defendant some sixteen years ago. Some two years after their acquaintance he came to board at her home, where they became very friendly—became engaged in fact—then she went to his house as housekeeper, and where she performed all the work of a wife and became interested in all the things he did. This state of things existed until some time in January, when another woman appeared upon the scene and destroyed her little heaven, so she seeks at the hands of the court recompense for board and services for the term of fourteen years. Both parties live in Mexico. The case was withdrawn from the jury and settled outside the court room.

The grand jury finished their labors Wednesday afternoon and presented these indictments: State of Maine vs. Grace Novelaguan. Assault with intent to kill. State of Maine vs. Frank Jannacel. Assault with intent to kill. State of Maine vs. John Smith. Breaking and entering. State of Maine vs. Leonard Comier. Attempt to commit larceny. State of Maine vs. Fred F. Eastman. Embezzlement. State of Maine vs. David A. Ladd. Manufacture of liquor. State of Maine vs. Clifford H. Howard. Embezzlement. State of Maine vs. Vivian Buck. Larceny from dwelling house. State of Maine vs. Homer Truman. Rape. State of Maine vs. Antoine Moscu. Nuisance. State of Maine vs. Frank Trepanier. Obstruction of justice.

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State of Maine vs. George E. Gary. Selling property without title. State of Maine vs. Avelle Bellgrade. Entering and larceny.

On Friday morning was put on the appeal of Erwin E. Giles from the decree of the judge of probate, with Fred R. Dyer and Harry L. Cram for the appellant and J. E. F. Connolly for the defense.

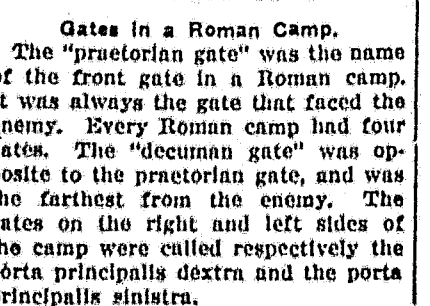
This is an action to break the will of Mary E. Giles, late of Brownfield, on the ground that she possessed an enfeebled mind and not competent to make a will. She was the widow of Loring R. Giles, and was the mother of seven children, four sons and three daughters. In making her will she left what property she possessed to the three daughters, and it is one of the sons, Erwin E. Giles, who wishes to break the will.

This is one of some dozen cases on the docket involving the estate left by Loring R. Giles, who died some twelve years ago, most of which has been left to referees.

This case occupied all the sessions of court Friday and Saturday, and no verdict had been arrived at Saturday night.—Oxford Democrat.

Gates in a Roman Camp. The "praetorian gate" was the name of the front gate in a Roman camp. It was always the gate that faced the enemy. Every Roman camp had four gates. The "decuman gate" was opposite to the praetorian gate, and was the farthest from the enemy. The gates on the right and left sides of the camp were called respectively the porta principalis dextra and the porta principalis sinistra.

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Incorporated Business. An incorporated business is one that is owned by a corporation, as distinguished from one owned by an individual or a partnership of individuals. In an incorporated business liability for debts extends only to the property owned by the corporation, whereas an individual doing business in his own name is responsible to the full amount of his possessions.

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SUPREME COURT

The first case opening day of the Supreme Judicial (C) Raphael Rudens vs. Matthew McCarthy dens and Messrs. A. bert Beliveau for P. This case was a jury and attendant social and convivial bors, the Poles at P as told by the wit Polish language and preter by Abram Ste the Poles and the co many terms.

It seems the principle on a certain Sunday put in a good portion ling, and as an inspi eral portions of whis er. It is claimed Rud money, having about addition to a check and the sum of \$10 drawn from the bank, the peared first, then the check, and lastly quit bank account. When

after the debacle was \$200.00; so he cl must have got away of his reserve fund the cash he had before brought into play. they had been playing of the liquor minto froly in a condition to co ly with him at cards; claims the cards used the defendant and wer der these circumstances to recover the amount

It may be of inter variety of game used in operations. It was ne old maid but a game one." In the langu sion it was a "swift" who handles the pastol opponent cards from th the pack, back up until the value of twenty-or that as possible; then to himself, face up; to If the dealer wins he time, and if he wins th when the round ends takes the pot. If he d passes the cards to th stakes are doubled at c pla says the stakes wer ing at one dollar and wards. Rudens, on the they were large, begin and running as high as color was given this las the fact that this mon of the denominations \$20.00; but no matter t pot, Rudens squealed an out.

The verdict was for the defendant being forced \$710.00 alleged to be gains. The Rudens-Plopla cas time of the court until noon, at which time the Pledge vs. James Pledge up, with Alton C. Whee Mrs. Pledge and Merton I. Mr. Pledge.

This case was tried be jury. It may be a matter state that on this jury w Harriet Abbott; so this down in history as the fr ford County in which a part in fixing the verdict This is a case in which Mrs. Annie Pledge, soug \$349 for twenty-seven we as housekeeper and nurse Mrs. Pledge is the wife Pledge of North Andov nephew of James Pledge, act, who resides in Norw of James Pledge died in of 1920, and this nephew came to Norway very sho ving the uncle. James P children except an adopt He liked this nephew and asked them to stay with rest of his life, promising wife as compensation for his house with the furnitu therein.

The young man worked things during his stay in N elder Mr. Pledge is a bute kept a market in Norway f of years. The younger Mr. to work in this market, but was quarreled, so he and turned to Massachusetts. It was for the time Mrs. is the house as housekee leber 1, 1920, until April, 1 seven weeks, that she su The elder Mr. Pledge is a man and has to have some

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